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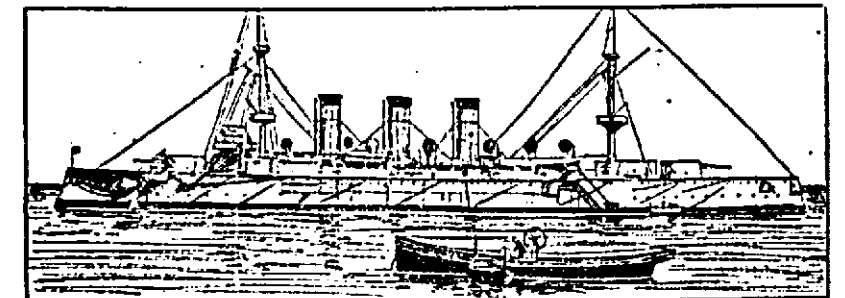
Russian Generals Deny Stories That the Japanese Affirm To Be True.

WHERE IS RUSSIA'S FLEET NOW?

The Japs Are Thought To Have Lost in Their First Battle on Land with the Cossack Cavalry.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)
Chefoo, March 14.—It is reported that four of the Japanese cruisers have returned to Sasebo practically out of commission as a result of the severe fire of the Russian forts at Port Arthur. It is also reported that many wounded were brought there at the same time.

Intense Excitement
Tokio, March 15.—Intense excitement has been caused by the circulation of a rumor, as yet unconfirmed, that a large party of Japanese mar-



JAPANESE ARMORED CRUISER YAKUMO.

ines have landed and occupied Dalny, thus effectively cutting off Port Arthur. At the war office the officials decline absolutely either to confirm or to deny the report. It is plain, however, that they are momentarily expecting a confirmation of the report, as it was the intention of Admiral Togo to occupy Dalny. It was with this end in view, it is believed, that the admiral shelled the Dalny defenses on Thursday, March 10, with the vessels of the cruiser division.

Big Step Toward Port Arthur
The capture of Dalny by the Japanese would mean the almost certain fall of Port Arthur; as it is known from the report of spies within the fortress that the Russians have almost exhausted their supply of big gun ammunition, and with the railway cut, it would be out of the question to replenish it. This would make the task of the Japanese in destroying the forts very easy, as they could approach very near to the harbor mouth and reduce the town and fortifications without fear of receiving fire from the land batteries.

Hay Proclamation
Washington, March 15.—Beside the general proclamation of neutrality China has sent a special declaration to the United States called forth by the Hay proclamation to the effect that it was the purpose of China to remain entirely and strictly neutral in the Russian-Japanese war.

Brought Refugees
Washington, March 15.—The navy department today received word that the cruiser Cincinnati had returned from Chemulpo with twenty-three American refugees.

Yukow, China, March 15.—Foreigners arriving here from Port Arthur announce that another engagement took place off that port on Sunday in which the Russian cruiser Diana was badly damaged.

Is Still Believed
London, March 15.—A dispatch by Reuters' Telegraph company dated Tokyo, 3:15, this morning, states that persistent reports are current there that the Russian fleet left Port Arthur after the attack of March 10th and is now endeavoring to reach Vladivostok.

Russian Side
St. Petersburg, March 15.—Denial made today by the Russian commander of Port Arthur caused the sinking of four steamers at the entrance of the harbor. The official telegrams from the east contain no news of fighting.

Weather Warm
Mukden, March 15.—The severely cold weather has given way to a succession of fine days which has elevated the spirits of the troops. Passenger trains have again been started and families of Russians are on their way towards Russia while the troops are working their way south.

One Battle Anyway
London, March 15.—A Port Arthur correspondent of the Central News reports a skirmish between Cossacks and Japanese cavalry on the banks of the Yalu. The Japanese horses were killed and the Japs were forced to flee on foot. A second skirmish is also reported in which the Japanese were repulsed. Grand Duke Cyril is expected to arrive in Port Arthur tomorrow.

ALL ST. PETERSBURG WAR NEWS IS DOCTORED

Communication Slipped Out Over the Frontier Tells of Remarkable Conditions.

St. Petersburg, via the frontier, March 15.—Russian editors and the press associations that enjoy the favor of government have received

since the breaking out of hostilities a number of remarkable circulars relative to the course to be pursued by them in handling the war news. The first, which was dated Feb. 9, warned all persons to refrain from the publication of accounts of demonstrations evoked by the complications in the far east without special permission. The second, issued, Feb. 6, read as follows:

"His majesty, the emperor, is graciously pleased to command that all articles and news destined to appear

In periodical publications shall be previously submitted to the judgment of competent military personages." The latter rule, which is still being enforced to the letter, explains many of the remarkable "news" articles circulated under a St. Petersburg date line. Self-respecting correspondents evade the czar's commands by sending their dispatches via the frontier, but he course is very difficult and results in many delays. The Novoe Vremya, the government organ, has refrained from attacking directly the United States and British governments, contenting itself to referring to Americans and Englishmen as a class. It has now, however, come out openly as anti-British and hinting vaguely at "punishing the British foes of Russia."

RUSSIANS BOTTLE PORT ARTHUR THEMSELVES

Hulks Sunk in Entrance of Harbor Prevents an Entrance.
New Chwang, March 15.—Apparently fearing that the Japanese destroyers would succeed in forcing an entrance to Port Arthur harbor and destroy what ships are left of his command, Admiral Makaroff has had several large vessels sunk at the harbor mouth in such a position that it is impossible to enter or leave the harbor without a chart.

RUSSIAN OFFICER SHOT FOR SELLING SECRETS

Capt. Leontief Discovered by Means of a Money Order.
Warsaw, March 15.—Capt. Leontief, a member of the general staff of the Russian army, who was arrested for selling to a foreign power the names of the spies employed by Russia along her westerly border, was summarily court-martialed and shot. The discovery of his duplicity was made through the delivery of a money order for him to another officer of the same name.

Plan to Gain Time

New Chwang, March 15.—Russian forces in the Leao-Tong peninsula and throughout southern Manchuria are falling back upon Liao-Yang and Mookden, and will fall back still farther, even as far as Harbin, rather than give battle to the advancing Japanese army until there are at least 300,000 Russian soldiers ready to go into action.

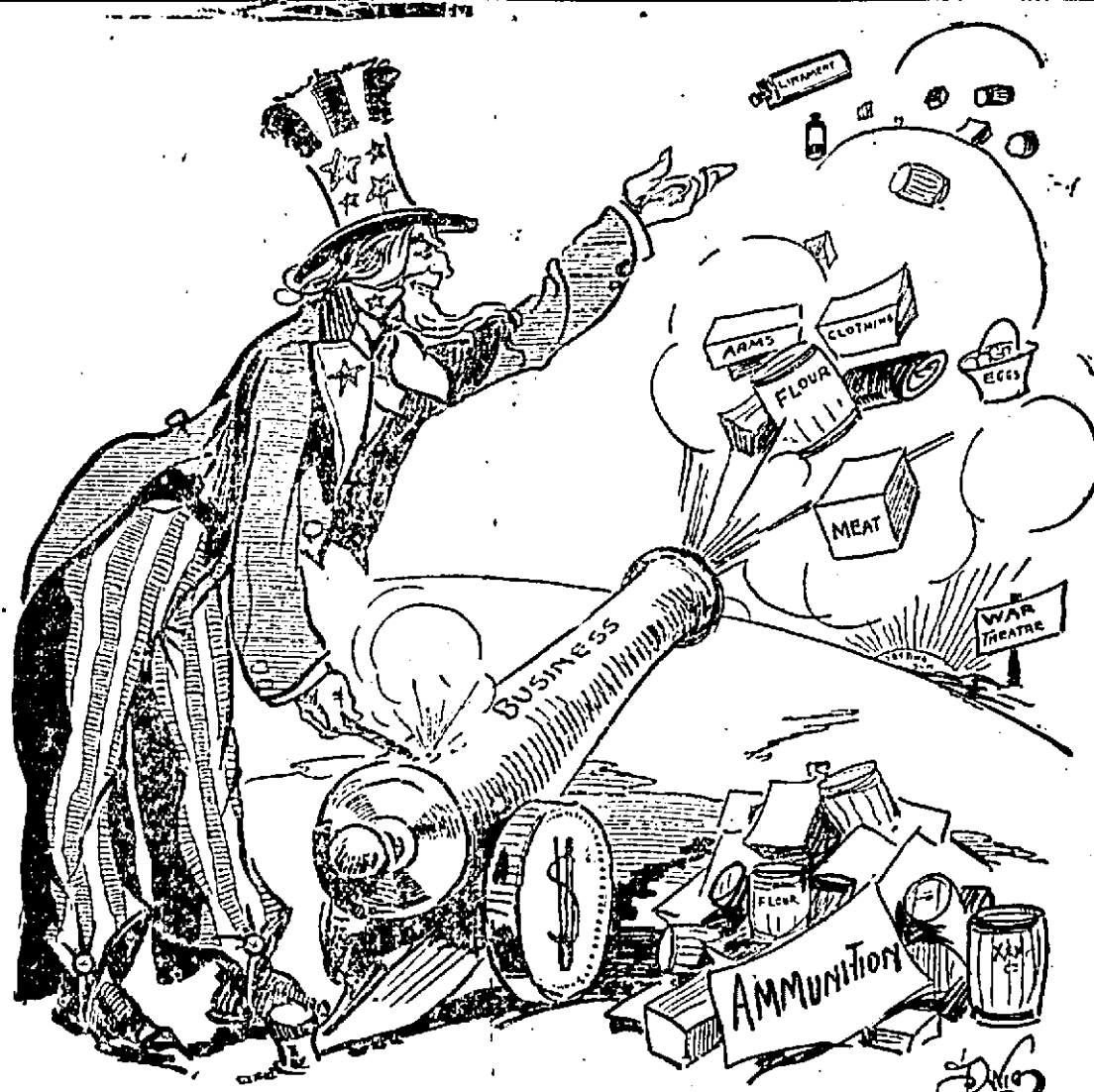
It is decided that at least 200,000 more will be necessary to face the rising of the Chinese, which now seems inevitable.

An officer who has just returned here from a tour along the Manchurian frontier says the trains are crowded with Chinese soldiers, numbering upward of 21,000, on their way to garrison the border. A Japanese attack is expected here as soon as a thaw occurs, which will be in about ten days.

Port Arthur Has Not Fallen.
Russia still holds Port Arthur, notwithstanding the rumors of its downfall, but whether or not it will be abandoned in the general withdrawal of the troops to the northward is a matter of conjecture.

If Viceroy Alexieff concludes to withdraw the garrison from that point it will mean the surrender of the entire Russian fleet now in the harbor to the Japanese, as Admiral Togo's warships hovering about will prevent their escape.

Russian officials here are much wrought up over the reiterated inquiries of the commanders of foreign navies relative to the report that the river is to be blocked before the



JININ IN.

arrival of the Japanese, which is not expected to be long delayed.

Is Anxious to Fight.
Vice Admiral Makaroff, in command of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur, will fight hard unless prevented by orders from the viceroy. He is determined to weaken the enemy at any cost and make the operations of the Baltic sea fleet in the far east feasible, though it may be necessary to fight without the Pallada, Czarevitch and Retvizan, which, it is admitted, cannot be fully repaired within six months. On account of the uncertainty of the success of the scheme of constructing a mud dock in which to repair the Czarevitch and Retvizan, naval experts allow a year for the work.

Harbin has now become the base of operations, with Liao-Yang as a central advance camp and terminus of the line of communications. It is closely connected with New-Chwang via Hailaoheng and Tashichiao, with the Cossack advance posts westward on the right flank, and with the Yalu via Feng-Huang-Cheng on the left flank, and other connecting posts en route. It is so prepared as to be able to strengthen any part in the event of a threatened Japanese advance.

Denies Shelling of Tallen-Wan.
St. Murmelin, secretary to the governor of Dalny, who left Port Arthur Friday night and is buying stores here, denies the reported bombardment of Tallen-Wan and asserts that two Japanese battleships, two cruisers and two torpedo boats approached the mouth of Dalny bay Thursday, but were afraid to enter the harbor. Nearly 400 mines are still there. Vessels shelled the island of Sansantao in the middle of the entrance to the bay and destroyed the quarantine quarters of the hospital, some residences and a new granite lighthouse which had just been completed. No resistance was made, as the place was fortified and not a soldier was there. Tallen-Wan, being in the line of fire, received a few shells.

STATE NOTES

Frank Hubbard, 35 years old, an engineer on the Milwaukee road, who recently removed from La Crosse to Portage, committed suicide by taking poison at Sparta.

Henry Hendricksen, aged 15 years, lies at the St. Luke's hospital, Racine, in a dying condition from blood poisoning resulting from picking a silver from his foot with a pin.

The state tax commission has invited representatives of a number of small railway companies to appear before it and present their views relative to the assessment of their property.

E. F. Parker, city attorney of De Pere, and also an old resident, died last night. He leaves a widow and two children. Attorney D. L. Parker of Green Bay and Mrs. F. M. Moore of Fond du Lac.

The Atlantic Mining company of Houghton, employing 750 men, yesterday posted notices of the raising of wages of trimmers to \$54 a month and also increasing prices paid contract miners. The raise dates from March 1. The increase was voluntary.

Frank M. Coe is again behind the walls of Marquette penitentiary after a short period of liberty. He was a "tramp" employed in a fire hole, outside the prison proper, and early yesterday morning effected his escape. He was captured near Stoughton.

The Corliss Stock Fair association will hold an extensive exhibition of live stock in Corliss on Wednesday, a large number of animals having been promised for the stalls.

SHOOTS AT AN ACTOR DURING PERFORMANCE

Occupant of a Box in New York Theater Declares His Intention of Being Avenged.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)

New York, March 15.—Great excitement was caused at the American theater by what appears to have been a deliberate attempt to shoot one of the performers by a man who sat in a stage box. For a few moments after the shooting the audience was on the verge of a panic, but the prompt action of the house manager, who rushed out on the stage and assured the audience that no harm had been done, prevented it.

During the third act of the play the manager, while passing one of the boxes heard a man within exclaim, "There he is; I'm going to get revenge." Immediately afterward a shot was fired and two men ran out of the box. Edward Cain, the treasurer of the house, attempted to stop them, but he was knocked down and one of the men fired at him, but missed. The two occupants of the box then ran from the theater and disappeared. The performers on the stage fled at the first shot. The police searched in vain for the men who fired the shots.

GIRL'S BODY IS FOUND IN WELL

Domestic Has Quarrel With Sweetheart, Goes Riding, and Dies.

Georgetown, O., March 15.—The body of Ida Matthews, aged 17 years, was found in a well on the Taylor farm, in the eastern part of Brown county. She was a domestic in the family of John Bessley. She had returned her ring to Joseph Kelch last Thursday, but he persisted in calling and took her away in a buggy last Saturday night, since which time neither has been seen, although searching parties were out everywhere. It is reported that Kelch was seen crossing the Ohio river into Kentucky. Kelch is said to have left a note disposing of money and indicating self-destruction.

WOMEN WOULD PROTECT ROBINS

Would Exterminate Men Who Derogate the Birds Their Food.

Benton Harbor, Mich., March 15.—Because some of the cherry growers of this section of Michigan are agitating the proposition to exterminate robins, the women have come out with a counter proposition to exterminate the men who are too stingy to let the robins have a little fruit in exchange for what they do in the way of eating up insects. The question was started by the state horticultural society at a meeting in Port Huron. One of the members wanted a law passed classing robins with game birds and allowing them to be shot during the open season.

ICED MEATS MAY BREED CANCER

British Governmental Board Investigates Report About Product.

London, March 15.—The question has been raised in the house of commons whether frozen or chilled meat has any injurious effect on consumers, and especially whether such meat contributes to increasing the number of cases of cancer in the united kingdom. President Long of the local government board said that, while he had no information to the above effect, he thought the matter might properly be referred to the royal commission of inquiry into the causes of cancer, which is now sitting.

WOULD SUE FOR MAN'S LYNCHING

Negro Woman Wants Five Thousand Dollars Because Dickerson Was Killed by Mob.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)

Cynthiana, Ky., March 15.—Ann Corbin, a negro woman, who was shot by Richard Dickerson at Springfield, Mo., has arrived here and has employed an attorney to attempt to recover five thousand dollars for the lynching of Dickerson. She claims Dickerson was her husband and the father of her two children.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

A Kansas City Southern freight train was derailed six miles south of Joplin, Mo., while running at a rapid rate down the Saginaw hill. Three men were killed, three injured and seventeen cars of merchandise demolished.

The grand jury in the Sarah Schaefer case at Bedford, Ind., returned two indictments against James McDonald, the first charging murder in the first degree and the second with assault. When told of the finding of the grand jury McDonald seemed surprised. "I am not guilty," he said. The special committee of the house to investigate the postoffice "indictments" of members of congress continued its work behind closed doors. The committee is making a detailed study of each case in the report and will send to the postoffice department for the original records in full.

William Gunsauer, a white man, shot and killed Mrs. Anna Palmer, colored, at Leavenworth, Kas., and then killed himself. "Three young children of the woman were the only witnesses to the tragedy. Gunsauer, who was a grocery clerk, had been sent to collect a small account from the woman. Mrs. Palmer refused to pay.

W. L. Collins, ex-cashier of the Indiana National bank at Elkhart, pleaded guilty in the federal court. He was the first of the bank officers to come up for trial. He was indicted on eighteen charges in connection with the failure of the bank. Ex-President Broderick's trial will begin today. Collins will be sentenced after the other trials are completed.

A special grand jury called to investigate last week's riot went into session at Springfield, O. Judge J. K. Mower delivered a vigorous charge. Prosecuting Attorney J. B. McGraw announced that transcript cases would be considered first. It will be a week before the actual investigation of the riots is started. The three saloon-keepers arrested for defying Mayor Bowler's order to close were released in police court, there being no law for their punishment.

LOUISVILLE YOUNG MAN HAS FIT OF REMORSE AND SHOOTS

Son of the Editor of the Louisville Irish-American Kills Himself This Morning.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)
Louisville, March 15.—Hugh Higgins, aged 21 years, the son of William Higgins, editor of the Louisville Irish-American, shot himself this morning. A love affair is supposed to be the cause of his trouble.

ALL BUT ONE OF THE WRECKED

Five Boats Picked Up by the Rescuers of the Wrecked Vessel.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)
Brisbane, Australia, March 15.—All but one of the six boats from the wrecked steamer Armac have been picked up by steamers sent in search of them.

CITIZENS ARE NOW AROUSED

Repeated Trouble at Telluride, Colorado, Causes Them to Act as a Unit.

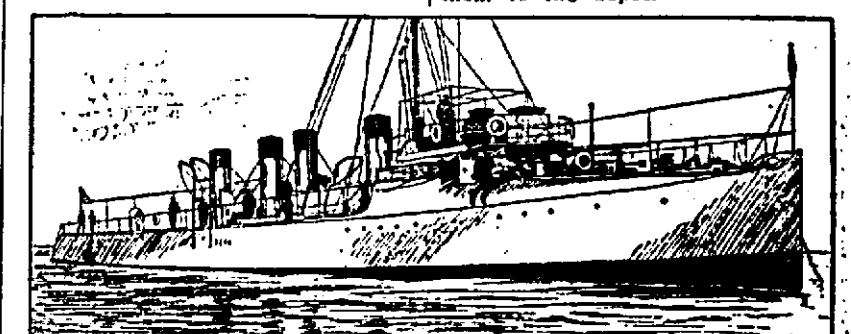
ARMED WITH WINCHESTERS TODAY

Took Seventy Union Men Into Custody Last Night, and Escorted Them Outside the City This Morning.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)
Telluride, Col., March 15.—As a culmination of the labor troubles in this section of the country the citizens of Telluride last night formed a Citizens' Alliance to end the labor troubles if possible. As a preliminary step they armed themselves with Winchester and a hundred of them started on their crusade.

Round Up Many
During the early evening they rounded up seventy men who have been making disturbances in this vicinity and kept them locked up all night in a vacant store under a heavy guard while others patrolled the streets to prevent a rescue by any of their friends.

Loaded On Cars
At two o'clock the seventy were taken from the store and loaded on a passing train leaving the city and warned to keep clear of Telluride in the future. As the train pulled out of the city a volley of shot was fired by the committee who had escorted them to the depot.



JAPANESE DESTROYER ASASHIO.

YOUNG MAN TRIES DOUBLE SUICIDE

Gives Sweetheart Poison and Takes Some Himself—Girl Dies; Boy May Recover.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)

Troy, N. Y., March 15.—Because their love affairs were not approved of by their parents Joseph Forgy and Annie Kiernan of this city determined to die. Accordingly Forgy administered carbolic acid to the girl and took a dose himself. He notified the police of his actions who found the girl dead but Forgy may recover.

CONDEMNNS BRUTALITY OF WHITE LYNCHERS

Negro Bishop Declares He Will Migrate to Africa, Where Better Work Awaits His Kind.

New York, March 15.—Bishop William Benjamin Derrick of the African Methodist Episcopal church, repudiated this country in a fiery address before a convention of colored preachers in the Bridge Street church, Brooklyn. The prevalence of lynching north and south is too much for the bishop, who will migrate to South Africa and direct the work of the American Methodist Episcopal church in the Transvaal.

"I believe that across the sea there is a wider and better work for me," said Bishop Derrick to the assembled ministers. "Every manly negro must feel the weight that he has to bear in this country and must grieve over the conditions that confront his race. 'This is no country for us. I will not tell you to retaliate, for that would be advising you to be brutes. It would be imitating the brutality of the whites.'"

Dies at Age of 117.

Deekerville, Mich., March 14.—Mrs. Adam Curte, who lived in this vicinity nearly forty years, is dead, aged 117 years.

Signs Appropriation Bill.

Washington, March 15.—President Roosevelt has signed the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, the first of the big supply bills to become a law.

Speaker Cannon's Boom.

Washington, March 15.—While Representative William Alden Smith was nominating Speaker Cannon for the presidency, in the house Friday Mr. Cannon's county convention was endorsing President Roosevelt enthusiastically. This endorsement reached the speaker, and he immediately forwarded it to the white house with his compliments and this memorandum: "If I was so soon to be done for, what was I ever begun for?"

Kills a Striker.

Fryer, Col., March 15.—Guards killed Michael Calabace, a striker. Calabace, it is said, had fired at a negro and then barricaded himself in his house in an attempt to resist arrest. The guards broke into the house and as Calabace ran out of another door they shot him.

ENGLAND FACES ANOTHER CLIMAX

Government Was Defeated This Morning in a Close Vote on the Irish Question.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)

London, March 15.—The British government was defeated in the house of commons today by a vote of 141 to 130. The division came on a motion by Redmond against the reduction of the Irish educational estimates.

MANY KILLED IN RAILWAY WRECK

Boston and Maine Train Collides with a Canadian Pacific Freight Train.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)

Lennoxville, Que., March 15.—A collision early this morning between a Boston and Maine passenger train and a Canadian Pacific freight caused the death of Engineer Folsom, Fireman Bernard on the Boston and Maine, and Engineer Cousins of the Canadian road was injured.

MANY INJURED IN AN EXPLOSION

Chicago Toy Novelty Company Building Destroyed This Morning, and Three Are Killed.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)

Chicago, Ill., March 15.—Three persons were killed and five seriously injured and a number slightly by an explosion and fire which this morning destroyed the building of the Chicago Toy Novelty company at Western avenue and Thirteenth street. One of the boys employed dropped a box of toy torpedoes which caused an explosion of all the powder in the building and the walls fell in with a roar.

LABOR RIOTS IN THE WINDY CITY

A Hundred Union Teamsters Fight with Striking Tin Can Workers.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)

Chicago, Ill., March 15.—A labor riot broke out this morning between a hundred union teamsters and the striking car workers who were formerly employed by the American Car company. The strikers attempted to prevent the teamsters from taking teams to the barns. A free-for-all fight ensued, many more thrown and shots fired. The police quelled the riot and arrested two union pickets.

ELKHART, INDIANA, FACES A BAD FIRE SITUATION NOW

Five Persons Were Injured by the Falling Walls of a Burning Building.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.)
Elkhart, Indiana, March 15.—Fire this morning destroyed the department store of H. B. Sykes. The falling walls injured three firemen and two bystanders. Loss is a hundred thousand dollars.

IRRIGATION FOR WESTERN LAND

GUY 'MITCHELL WRITES ESPECIALLY FOR THE GAZETTE.

TELLS WHAT THE WEST IS

How the Proposed Canals Would Benefit the Great Arid Lands in the Future.

Senator Teller called the attention of his colleagues in the senate last week to the great mining discoveries made recently in Colorado. Colorado is fast becoming a golden state, populous and productive. But greater than her production of the precious metals is her product of agriculture, and because of this fact of farm wealth her mines are prosperous and increasing. On the other hand, look at her sister state of Nevada.

During the past twenty years, the population of Nevada has been slowly declining. It is a common remark that this is due to the exhaustion of its mineral resources and that its decadence must be accepted as a permanent condition.

The truth is that the mineral resources of Nevada are by no means exhausted. On the contrary, there are many localities where great ore bodies carrying profitable amounts of precious metals—often ranging from \$20 to \$60 per ton—lie entirely unworked. Contrary to popular opinion, the successful developments of a mining district does not depend on plenty of rich ore. That, of course, is one of the requisites of success, but there are others.

Need Labor
Labor must be available; there must be a convenient base of supplies to assure the sustenance of man and beast; and, finally, transportation facilities must be provided in order that the mining district may be accessible from the outside world and that its raw products may be carried to the smelter.

Those who know the mineral resources of the western states and territories are in the habit of saying, "The ground has only been scratched." The statement is literally true. There cannot be any thorough, scientific and economical development of mineral resources until the happening of certain big things which, in most localities, have proven to be wholly beyond the reach of individual enterprise and, very often, even beyond the reach of companies operating with enormous capital.

In the mountain and desert states most generously endowed with mineral wealth, irrigation is the great civilizer. It is the first step in the development of all the resources of the region. Towns, railroads, mining and lumber camps, together with industries of every description, depend upon it. Irrigation is the broad and permanent foundation of the whole fabric of economic life in the west.

Nevada a Typical Mining State
The case of Nevada is typical. It looks barren enough as the transcontinental traveler sees it from his flying train. And the census figures are not encouraging. Nevertheless, Nevada has abundant potentialities and will some day turn the laugh upon those who have made it the object of bitter and ceaseless derision. And irrigation is the golden key which will unlock the door of its really immense resources. If the land laws, now used for getting lands for speculation and for cattle grazing shall be repealed by congress, so that the government lands can remain government lands until they are irrigated by the government and turned over to real homesteaders, then agriculture in the west will double and quadruple and mining and every western industry will jump forward. The government work, now progressing so well along the Truckee river promises much for Nevada. It will bring farmers to the state and they will produce food for men and forage for beasts. Fortunately the public lands under the Truckee project have been reserved by the secretary of the interior from entry under the desert land law and they can only be taken under the 5-year homestead law. All such lands throughout the west which Uncle Sam may irrigate, this year, or next or in the next 25 years, should be in effect so reserved.

Rich Ores
But take the matter of the rich ore bodies of Nevada. Why do they lie undeveloped, in spite of the strenuous enterprise so characteristic of our time? Simply because they are remote from civilization. The cost of hauling supplies in and of hauling the product out is prohibitory. These silent districts, with their potentialities of wealth, are waiting for something to happen. And that something is irrigation.

The watering of lands in their neighborhood means, first of all, a permanent population which may be drawn upon to furnish labor in the development of the mines. Next, it means food for men and teams at prices which will permit the industry to flourish. Finally, it means an irresistible invitation to the iron horse, for the railroad over follows where the forces of production point the way.

Mines Depend On Irrigation
If the entire irrigated area of the west, some eight million acres, which practically constitute the west, should suddenly revert to the desert, what effect would it have on the industrial life of the arid region and the business of the country at large? First of all, it would close a multitude of paying mines, now turning out tens of millions in value every year. It would knock down the value of railroad securities as never before and throw the stock exchanges into convulsions. It would cause an enormous shrinkage of real estate values.

THE EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA NOW DRINKS CEREAL COFFEE.

—and so does the King of Italy. In 21 Royal European Courts the use of Father Knapp's—Knapp's Malt Coffee. It is infinitely better than any other coffee substitute and actually surpasses coffee itself. Ask your dealer—Costs no more.

quickly followed by the depopulation of many localities now prosperous and growing. And eastern merchants and manufacturers would find that the bottom had dropped out of the biggest part of their western market.

Reverse Proposition
We have but to reverse the proposition to understand what it means to double the irrigated area of the west. It means, of course, a vast increase in the number of paying mines and, consequently, in the annual production of precious metals. It means higher prices for railroad securities and real estate, and more business for eastern merchants and manufacturers. In a word, irrigation is the straight road to national prosperity—the surest influence making for its continuance and for its constant enlargement.

The stupendous enterprise of reclaiming the desert lands of half a continent, and settling them with a productive population, has now gone far beyond the bounds of private enterprise. It has become a national undertaking—a national aspiration. It is the latest and the biggest thing that Uncle Sam has set his hand to. And it will not only double, but increase tenfold, the irrigated area of the west.

Enormous Dividends
Considered in relation to mining, the new policy of national irrigation would be amply justified, for it would return vast dividends to the country on its investment in that way alone. But it is impossible to view it longer in that narrow light. It ramifies in every direction and sends its influence into every channel of the nation's life.

This conquest of natural resources in the wide west is a greater thing than the conquest of all the islands and archipelagos in the seven seas. It means work and homes, independence and contentment, for future millions of our own countrymen. And it is another and more striking instance of "duty and destiny."

WILLIAM E. SMYTHE.

MILTON COLLEGE

SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Splendid Program Was Given by This Talented Organization Last Evening.

The musical folk from Milton descended upon us in full force last evening. The program they gave under the auspices of the King's Daughters at the Baptist church was full of merit and reflected great credit upon instructors and school. An audience that filled the house testified their appreciation by enthusiastic applause and many encores. Prof. J. M. Stillman, principal of the school of music, with his seventy years, many of them spent at Milton, swung the baton with vigor. Especially enjoyable were the renditions under his direction of "Old King Cole," by the male choir and Hayden's "The Heavens Are Telling," by the chapel choir. Miss Alberta Crandall presided with skill at the piano. The readings of Miss Susie B. Davis called out much applause. Of especial merit was "The Night Wind," Dr. W. C. Daland; the gifted and versatile president of Milton college, provided himself a master at the organ.

Program
Instrumental—Airs from Martha Flotow, Milton College Orchestra, under the direction of Alberta Crandall.

Glee—Oh, The Fanning Sea—L. O. Emerson, Milton College Male Choir, under the direction of J. M. Stillman.
Organ—Overture, Masanelli—Auber.
Doctor W. C. Daland.
Coloratura Song—Staccato Polka R. Muller, Clara E. Clifton.
Reading—The Little Black Angel—Errol Stanhope, Susie B. Davis.
Planoforte—Caprice, Esparnol—Moszkowski, Alberta Crandall, teacher of the planoforte, violin, etc., in the School of Music.

Sacred Chorus—I Will Praise Thee—J. M. Stillman, Mus. Dir., Chapel Choir with Orchestra, under the direction of J. M. Stillman, principal of the School of Music.

Intermission.
Instrumental—Loreley—Parraphrase—Nevadada, College orchestra. Baritone Song—Angel Land—Ciro Piel, J. G. Maxon.
Glee—Arlon Waltz—Voegel, Male Choir.

Organ—Selections from Lohengrin—Wagner, including the Introduction to Act III, Bridal March and Chorus, and the Final to Act I, Pres. W. C. Daland.
Baritone Song—Border Ballad—Friedrich H. Cowen, Prof. Alfred E. Whitford.

Reading—The Night Wind, Eugene Fields; B The Song of Yesterday, James Whitcomb Riley; Susie B. Davis.

Chorus—The Heavens Are Telling—From the Creation—Haydn, Chapel Choir, the trio by Ethelyn M. Davis, L. H. Stringer, and J. G. Maxon.

WALLACE MCGREGOR IS QUITE ILL AT RACINE

Dr. James Mills Who Made Friendly Visit Yesterday Says That He Is Not Dangerous.

Wallace McGregor, son of Alexander McGregor of this city, is ill at Racine with bowel trouble. Dr. James Mills visited him yesterday and reports that he is not dangerously sick. Mr. McGregor is superintendent of the J. I. Case factory. He was educated in the Janesville public schools and the state university.

Fond du Lac Reporter: La Follette isn't a candidate for a third term. Oh no! He must be coaxed, so some of his friends and lieutenants have published a letter asking him to be a candidate. No one is deceived by it, not even the men who signed it. The whole thing is only to give a proper and dramatic stage setting to Bob's letter announcing his candidacy, for the governor is most particular about the details of his melodramas. He demands all the trimmings, even to the "My Lady the carriage awaits" and he gets them too. It would be altogether too preposterous and ordinary for him to come out with an announcement of his candidacy without first being teased a little by some of the lesser lights.

STATEMENT THAT IS NOT CORRECT

Madison Papers Tell of a Row at a Cocking Main Where Janesville Men Had Birds.

The following clipping from the Madison Journal is hardly fair as regards this part Janesville men played in the recent cocking main held in Madison. Janesville has for many years been noted for its game cocks and the men who handle them have always been considered fair and above board. Now comes the following from Madison:

About 200 people took a chance and attended a cocking main held near the eastern edge of the city late Saturday night. The go was between Madison and the best that Janesville could produce. It is understood that the Madison birds won the main of \$200, taking five out of eight battles. Each mill was for \$25. According to gossip the referee was Kelly, a Janesville man, and he was "crooked." However, the Madison sports were out strong and they insisted on fair play, and were able to relieve the visitors of much of their money. It is said that 75 "true ones" from Janesville came out to witness the fight and that they backed their favorite birds willingly. Some say it was the biggest and most exciting cocking main ever held in these parts. Despite the efforts of proper authorities these little affairs will happen now and then. The utmost secrecy surrounded the arrangement of the fight and only those that had received a "tip" from persons on the inside knew anything about it.

It is said that in the final battle the Madison bird had much the better of it, but just before it had the battle won Referee Kelly thought its owner picked up his bird while still fighting and the battle was claimed as a foul. The referee, he claimed, and before he could make a formal ruling there was a howl of protest from the Madison sports. The greatest confusion prevailed for half an hour. Only about a month ago a cocking main was held in about the same place.

WOMEN'S HATS ARE TO BE VERY SMALL

Milliners' Convention in Chicago Puts a Ban on Flapping Brims in the Future.

Hats will mark the change from spring to summer very pronouncedly this year for milliners decreed at a convention in Chicago Friday that the spring hat should be small, while the ruling fashion in summer hats will be the big, graceful Gainsborough.

"The transition is natural," said a prominent milliner, yesterday. "The floppy, wide hat of perishable materials would not be appropriate for spring weather, when rough winds are necessary to sweep the streets and yards clean of the accumulated rubbish of the winter, and rains fall every other day. It takes something that sets close to the head and ofers little resistance to the wind to remain neat and trim in spring weather. The turban of Napoleon shape, with a long front, is what will be most worn."

"There will be no birds and but few feathers of any kind. Even the quills, with their bristly freshness, are not so popular as they were."

MILTON PAPER TALKS OF DAM

Says Indian Ford Property Injures Much Farming Land—Will Be Sold Soon.

The sale of the Indian Ford dam was postponed at Beloit last Thursday. Five-sixths of the dam is owned by a stock company and one-sixth by Capt. Norcross. Farmers around the lake planned to unite and buy the entire dam and destroy it as about 2,000 acres of land are tendered valueless by it. Until four years ago the power company drew off the water each summer for power purposes and farmers were able to cut hay from land now submerged. The manager of the westside hotel secured an injunction restraining the power company from lowering the water. Since then 2,000 acres of taxed land is under water the entire year. Stenett Pierce says he is taxed \$45 an acre for 102 acres under water. This is a rank injustice. Yet many say the destruction of the dam would spoil Lake Koshkonong.—Milton Herald.

WOULD CORRECT THE IMPRESSION

Secretary of the Municipal League Sends a Signed Statement for Publication.

Editor Gazette: Your paper of last evening contained a statement that the executive committee of the Municipal league had decided to put a ticket in the field at the coming spring election and stated that 7 were for and 4 against said action, also giving their names. The minutes show no such decision was arrived at and no such motion was passed. At the meeting on Saturday evening it was decided to submit to a public meeting (to be held this evening) the list of candidates the committee would recommend to the voters. Those voting in favor of this were Parker, Valentine, Barnes, Sutherland, McNamara, Hayes and Kimball. Those opposed to it were Grant, Sheldon, Nowlan and Galbraith. Will you please make the above correction in your paper this evening. Yours respectfully, GEO. G. KIMBALL, Secretary.

N. B.—The statement referred to was furnished by a member of the committee, who was present, and the authority was not questioned. EDITOR.

SESSION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

CONSIDERABLE BUSINESS DISPOSED OF AT SHORT SESSION.

SIDEWALK ORDINANCE PASSED

Likewise the Measure for Improvement of Rock River—City Attorney Submitted Opinions.

At the regular session of the city council last evening, Alderman Judd presiding and Aldermen Schmidley and Murray absent, routine business was transacted and several important measures placed on passage. The annual report of the city treasurer was referred to the finance committee. City Attorney Burpee submitted opinions on several important questions that had been referred to him. In regard to the matter of rebates on taxes to several property-holders, advocated by the assessors, he held that the latter officers should be authorized to deduct the various sums when the next rolls are made out. The city could legally pay for the rebates to the city engineer's surveying instruments.

As Regards Vicious Dogs
In regard to vicious dogs and the powers of the city to abate the nuisance he submitted the opinion that the council could repeal the dog license ordinance and pass another making it unlawful for any dogs to run at large on the streets. The council could regulate or prohibit. An existing ordinance provided for a license and in addition to this it would not be in addition to pass any measure giving police officers greater powers than they have now under state law. As the matter now stands an officer must assume a certain responsibility and liability for damages when he destroys a licensed canine that has not attacked man or beast in his presence. The state law protects horses, cattle, and sheep from vicious dogs as well as human beings. The opinions were received and placed on file.

To Care for Parks

The transfer of a saloon license from James Connors to Thomas Madden was authorized. Alderman Schwartz reported on the location of voting booths to be utilized at the election on April 5, the only change being the substitution of the street commissioner's room in the basement of the city hall for the west side fire station as the location of one of the first ward booths. On motion of Alderman Matheson a motion was passed authorizing the committee on parks to hire a man at a salary of not more than \$10 a month to look after the city grounds at the proper time. The same Alderman also gave notice that at the next meeting he would ask for an appropriation of \$100 for the buying and setting out of young trees. The city clerk was authorized to advertise for bids for the laying of pipes, according to the plans of the city engineer, for carrying off the water from the easterly two blocks of the courthouse park. The street commissioner was authorized to repair a culvert on Armour street.

Ordinances Passed

The sidewalk ordinance providing that all walks hereafter built or rebuilt within the city limits shall be constructed of stone, artificial stone, brick, cement, asphaltum, etc., and be five feet wide, was passed with an amendment reserving to the city the power to allow a narrower width in cases where it was deemed advisable. An actual estimate in the hands of the council showed that brick sidewalks could be constructed cheaper than plank walks. The river ordinance forbidding the dropping or throwing of dirt, ashes, stone, refuse from mills, paper, and other rubbish into the Rock within the city limits, with a penalty of from \$1 to \$50 for violation, was passed—Alderman Connell alone voting in the negative. He explained his vote by saying that there was another ordinance on the books that covered all of these points. An order was introduced and carried over one negative vote, instructing the marshal to strictly enforce this ordinance. Alderman Fleming stated that the city engineer make inquiries as to the possibility of securing permission to build a drainage ditch for Riverside street along the North-Western's right-of-way.

Easy Way To Cure Catarrh

Breathe Hyomel and Kill All Catarrhal Germs. "Money Back if It Fails," Says The Peoples Drug Company and King's Pharmacy.

There is no dangerous stomach drugging when using Hyomel. The healing and aromatic balsams which compose this wonderful treatment are breathed through a neat pocket inhaler that comes with every \$1 outfit.

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This is an unusual offer and the first time that any medicine or treatment for the cure of catarrh has been sold in this way. If it cures, the expense is trifling, while if it fails, the cost is absolutely nothing.

If you are fortunate enough not to be troubled with catarrh, tell your friends of The Peoples Drug company's and King's Pharmacy's offer and get them to take advantage of it.

...LINK AND PIN...

News for the Rail Road Men.

North-Western Road
Charles G. Snow has assumed the duties of contracting freight agent of the North-Western road, succeeding Charles Thompson, who was advanced some days ago to the post of local freight agent at Milwaukee. Mr. Snow has been traveling freight agent of the road in Wisconsin with headquarters at Madison.

The North-Western is rigidly enforcing rules in regard to the shipping of lumber. The company absolutely refuses to carry cars loaded with lumber unless the lumber is held in place by oak staves and bound together with strong wire.

The North-Western railroad is contemplating the erection of an engine house in Milwaukee, to accommodate 63 engines, and will, when completed, be the largest engine-house in Wisconsin.

The North-Western has started a school of instruction for station agents. The main object is to train agents to see that baggage, express and freight is handled with greater dispatch at all points on the line.

It is again rumored that the North-Western will, during the coming summer, construct a double track between Harvard and Janesville.

Engine No. 870 is held at the round house for necessary repairs.

Travelling Engineer D. Duncan of Chicago was in the city on business today.

Engine No. 195 is undergoing necessary repairs at the shops here.

Fireman George Madden on the Rockford-Waterdown passenger run, is off duty for a few days.

Engineer Charles Stearns, on the south-end way-freight, is laying off for a few days.

Charles Manning, engineer on the DeKalb passenger run, laid off and went to Baraboo on business this morning.

Train number 10 from the north, due here at 9:30, did not arrive in the city until 11:30 this morning.

The north-end way-freight was delayed yesterday on account of a mishap at Jefferson. A box-car was derailed causing the train to be many hours late.

St. Paul Road
The St. Paul road uses telegraph lines between the union depot in Milwaukee and the general offices at Chicago for telephonic communication.

The traffic for the St. Paul road for January and February is about equal to that of last year. Although the weather has reflected on the earnings of the road the system had before the opening of the year reduced the operating expenses so that it will come out about equal.

Engineer William Dee is now in charge of passenger between Madison and Chicago.

Several carloads of snow were taken away from the tracks about the depot this morning.

The Chicago train was an hour late this morning owing to the heavy snowfall of yesterday.

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Salo opens Thursday, March 17th at 9 o'clock.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a Home of Swamp-Root, pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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Coming Attractions.

E. H. Sothern's magnificent production of "The Proud Prince" which the eminent actor will present here at Myers Grand tomorrow night, contains the great New York cast and production complete. The author, Justin Huntly McCarthy, has already

been immortalized in the poem of Longfellow in his "Tales of a Wayside Inn." The period is Sicily in the 13th century, permitting of rare picturesqueness in costumes and scenic effects. Its romantic and chivalrous episodes equal those of "If I Were King." Mr. Sothern has made



SCENE IN "THE PROUD PRINCE," WHICH APPEARS AT THE MYERS GRAND TOMORROW EVENING.

shown his skill as poet and playwright in Sothern's play of last year, "If I Were King." The new play is said to furnish a love story fully as fascinating, and in addition to possess a religious and supernatural element. The basis of the play is the famous legend of King Robert of Sic-

ily even a more important new theatrical and mechanical effects. Over 150 people will be seen upon the stage. There will be an augmented orchestra. Miss Cecelia Loftus, Mary Hall, Howard Buckstone, William Harris, Sydney C. Mather, and many others will be seen with Mr. Sothern.

...Forty Years Ago...

Janesville Daily Gazette, Tuesday, March 15, 1864.—The 17th Regiment Coming Home.—This regiment is now in Cairo and will pass through the city on its way to Madison, next Thursday, the 17th inst.

The weather is cold, unpleasant and cheerless, but just the thing to keep back the fruit and flower beds from the ravages of an April frost. It is also a "good thing on the ice," keeping back the northern snows so as to make a damaging flood in our river, the waters of which is now within a foot of the high water mark.

Something New.—By reference to our advertisement columns it will be seen that Mr. Graham has taken license as auctioneer; and as we are informed he is a practical salesman, a good judge of farm stock and other property, those having anything to dispose of in his line will do well by giving him a call. He also proposes to keep an intelligent office a convenience much needed in our city.

We believe that we are guilty of congratulating the readers of the Madison Patriot upon the retirement of Geo. Eyer, from the editorship of that paper, and of the accession of Mr. Carpenter to his place. We take it all back. It was a lapsus pence, if nothing worse. Save an occasion-

REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION

Republican City Convention. Notice is hereby given that a republican city convention will be held at the assembly room in the city hall, in the city of Janesville, Wisconsin, on Saturday, March 19th, 1904, at two o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election, and to elect a city committee, and to transact such other business as may come before said convention. Nominations are to be made for the following officers:

City treasurer, city attorney, school commissioner at large, Justice of the Peace.

The several wards will hold their caucuses on Friday, March 18, 1904, and elect delegates to said convention as follows:

First ward, eight (8).
Second ward, six (6).
Third ward, ten (10).
Fourth ward, seven (7).
Fifth ward, three (3).

All caucuses will open at 7:30 p. m., and continue one hour as provided by law.

Republican Ward Caucuses

FIRST WARD
The First ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: two (2) aldermen, a supervisor, and a constable, and to elect eight (8) delegates to the city convention to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the West Side fire station, in this city, on Friday, March 18, 1904, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continue one hour as provided by law.

Second Ward

The Second ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: an alderman, a supervisor, school commissioner and a constable, and to elect six delegates to the city convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side fire station, in this city, on Friday, March 18, 1904, beginning at 7:30 p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Third Ward

The Third ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: an alderman, a supervisor, school commissioner and a constable, and to elect seven delegates to the city convention to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the voting booth near the corner of Center avenue and Holmes street, in this city, on Friday, March 18, 1904, beginning at 7:30 p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Fourth Ward

The Fourth ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: an alderman, a supervisor, school commissioner and a constable, and to elect seven delegates to the city convention to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the voting booth near the corner of Center avenue and Holmes street, in this city, on Friday, March 18, 1904, beginning at 7:30 p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Fifth Ward

The Fifth ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: an alderman, a supervisor, school commissioner and a constable, and to elect three delegates to the city convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side fire station, in this city, on Friday, March 18, 1904, beginning at 7:30 p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Dated March 3d, 1904.
By order of the City Committee,
M. O. MOUTAT, Chairman.
A. C. JENKINS, Secretary.

An Inflamed throat should not be neglected. Please Cure for Consumption.

LODGE CALENDAR.

Masonic.
Western Star Lodge, No. 14, F. and A. M.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Janesville Lodge, No. 65, F. and A. M.—2nd and 4th Sunday.
Janesville Chapter, No. 5, H. A. M.—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Janesville Commandery, No. 2, K. T.—2nd and 4th Thursday.
Janesville Chapter, No. 69, O. E. S.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.
I. O. O. F.
Wisconsin Lodge, No. 14—Every Wednesday.
Janesville City Lodge, No. 90.—Every Tuesday.

Rock River Encampment, No. 8.—1st and 3rd Friday.
Antion Lodge, No. 8, Patriarchs Militant.—2nd and 4th Thursday.
American Lodge, No. 26, D. of O. R. and 4th Saturday.
Social and Benefit Club.—1st Thursday.
Janesville Lodge, No. 171, D. of R.—2nd and 4th Thursday.
Catholic Knights of Wisconsin, Branch, No. 69.—1st Sunday, Elks.

Janesville Lodge, No. 254.—Every Tuesday.
G. A. R.
W. H. Sargent Post, No. 26.—2nd and 4th Friday.
W. S. Sargent Corps, No. 21, W. H. U.—Every Alternate Tuesday.

Hibernians.
Division, No. 1.—2nd Sunday.
Knights of the Globe.
Janesville Garrison, No. 19.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.
Knights of the Maccabees.
Rock River Tent, No. 51.—1st and 3rd Monday.
Rock River Ille, No. 71, Ladies of the Maccabees.—1st and 3rd Monday.
Knights of Pythias.
Oriental Lodge, No. 22.—Meets every Friday and Saturday.
Modern Woodmen of America.
Florence Camp No. 381.—2nd and 4th Monday.
Crystal Camp, No. 132.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.

National Union.
Janesville Council, No. 238.—1st Tuesday.
United Workmen.
Fraternal Reserve Association meets first and third Thursdays at Good Templars' hall.
Olive Branch, No. 66.—2nd and 4th Friday.
Olive Lodge, No. 27, Degree of Honor.—1st and 3rd Wednesday.
Lafayette Lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor.—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Badger Council, No. 223, Royal Arcanum.—2nd and 4th Monday.
Independent Order of Foresters.—4th Monday.
Myrtle Workers of the World.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Omega Council, No. 214, Royal League.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.
Heaven's.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.
Colonies, No. 2, H. F. F.—4th Tuesday.
St. Patrick's Court, No. 318, W. C. U. F. meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in the month at West Side Odd Fellows' hall.
Crystal Camp, No. 132, H. A. M.
Rock River Grange, P. of H.
Rock River Court, No. 1, Tribe of Ben Hur.—2nd and 4th Thursday.
Knights of Columbus.—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Peoples' Lodge, No. 490, I. O. G. W.—Every Friday.
Bower City Verein, No. 31, Germania Unterstephning.—Verein.—3rd Friday.
Janesville Council, No. 108, U. C. W.—1st and 3rd Saturday.

Janesville Assembly of Equitable Fraternal Union, No. 171, meets the first and third Mondays of each month at the Caledonian hall, Carle block.

Retail Clerks' Union.—3d Tuesday.
Janesville City Lodge, No. 66.—Every Tuesday.
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Labor Organizations.
Journeyman Barbers' Union.—1st Monday.
Painters, Paperhangers & Decorators Union.—1st and 3rd Monday.
Journeyman Tailors' Union.—2nd Monday.
Leather Workers.
Brewers' Union.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Retail Clerks' Union.—3d Tuesday.
Machinists' Union.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.
Federal Labor Union.—1st and 3rd Wednesday.
Typographical Union.—3d Sunday, at 3 o'clock.
Trades Council, Building Trades Council.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.
Woodworkers' Union.—4th Thursday.
Clear Makers' Union.—2nd Wednesday.
Boot & Shoe Workers' Union.—1st Thursday.
Plumbers' Union.—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Steamfitters' Union.—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers' Union.—1st and 3rd Friday.
Blacksmiths' & Masons' Union, Heatherhead of Locomotive Firemen.—1st and 3rd Saturday.

International Association of Railway Clerks meets first Thursday in Bolot and third Tuesday in Janesville.
Interior Freight Handlers and Watchmen Meet International Union No. 37 meets first and third Wednesdays.
Carpenters' Union.—1st and 3rd Friday.
Women's Union Label League.—2nd and 4th Friday.
Stone Cutters' Association of North America.—3rd Friday.

Do you need more blood, more flesh, more strength this spring? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will bring them all. If it fails your money back. 35 cents. Tea or tablet form. A. Volts Pharmacy.

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To the fifth sending the greatest variety of spellings.....	10.00
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Anyone can compete and all have an equal chance of securing one of the big prizes.

The only conditions are that you send in for each five different ways of spelling the word Egg-O-See, one of the little folders, same as used in the school children's contest, found inside of each package of the food, and that you mail your list to the Egg-O-See Co., Quincy, Ill., on or before June 15, 1904. Be sure and write your name and address plainly. The spelling must be such as could properly be pronounced "Egg-O-See." The following are some of the ways the word could be spelled: Egg-O-See, Eg-Oh-Cy, Egg-O-Cue, Eg-O-Sie.

You will find the effort entertaining as well as profitable. The children will find it instructive, but older persons are not barred, and it is permissible to get help from others after you have spelled the word as many ways as you can yourself.

We are doing this so that the merits of Egg-O-See, the best of all flaked wheat foods may be more widely known. Physicians and food experts agree that flaked wheat is the most delicious and healthful of foods. Its good qualities are now universally recognized, and Egg-O-See is practically displacing all similar foods, as your grocer will tell you, because it is superior in quality and flavor, and yet a large package retails for 10 cents.

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AN INDEPENDENT TICKET.

A majority of the members of the executive committee of the Municipal league favor the naming of a ticket this year and hope to secure the endorsement of the republican party. This matter was decided after some opposition at a meeting of the committee last Saturday night.

It was afterwards thought advisable to submit the question to the voters who are invited to be present at a mass meeting to be held this evening.

The Gazette has already expressed opinion freely concerning the league, and its attitude this year, advising against an independent movement. In the light of recent developments the paper sees no reason for a change of sentiment.

The league has waited too long before taking action. Last year the mass meeting was held and public sentiment aroused and crystallized in advance of any party movements, but today the democratic ticket is in the field, and the republican party are on the eve of caucuses and convention.

The few men on the league committee who are urging a non-partisan ticket the strongest are democrats, who have already participated in party nominations, and who are expected to support the ticket which they have helped to create.

It may be urged that democracy has shown a non-partisan disposition by placing a republican for city treasurer at the head of the ticket, but every one knows that the party could not name a man from its own ranks, who stood the ghost of a show of defeating Mr. Fathers.

It is also understood that this same element of the league committee favor the renomination of Mr. Burpee, on the ground of non-partisanship, yet they fail to state what obligation the league is supposed to recognize. They also overlook the fact that the republican party, whose endorsement they seek, is under no obligation to the City Attorney.

The league may succeed in naming an independent ticket. It is possible for two or three hundred men to get together and do that. If this is done the men responsible for it of course expect the republican party to endorse the movement, and if this is refused it simply means dividing republican strength and electing a straight, democratic ticket.

This might not be considered a calamity by the democratic members of the league committee, but it would not be very satisfactory to republican voters nor to a large majority of the league members.

The Gazette does not believe at this late day, that the republican party will submit kindly to the dictation of the league. The party will meet in caucuses and convention the last of the week, and will place a straight republican ticket in the field. It is safe to say that every name on the ticket will represent men of ability and good moral character, and men in every way worthy of support.

WAR AND CIVILIZATION.

The war now going on between Japan and Russia means much more than possession of Manchuria, and its progress is being watched with unusual interest by all civilized nations. It is perfectly natural that the sympathy of these nations should be with Japan, for they recognize the fact that the little nation stands for enlightenment and christian progress.

Russia has never evidenced any desire or willingness to escape superstition that envelops her. Cruel in disposition and despotic in the extreme, the nation stands in the background, a menace to civilization and personal liberty.

In the revolution of nations the tyranny of nations will be broken, and the God of nations may so direct the war now in progress as to let the light of christian civilization into the dark corners of the benighted land. Henry Clows, the New York banker said recently in discussing this question:

"American sympathy is adverse to Russia, chiefly because of her exclusive policy. Everyone now understands that great developments are in prospect in the Far East during the next twenty-five years, and that no country has a greater potential interest in the development than the United States. Destiny is making us the dominant power on the Pacific, and we cannot afford to idly watch Russia seize a position to the exclusion of ourselves and all others. No one objects to Russia taking hold of the semi-barbaric races of Asia and civilizing them if she can; but hitherto her methods have been monumental failures, and the clash between her ideals of government and society and ours must inevitably have come had not Japan, roused by the necessity of self-preservation, undertaken to check Russian encroachments. When Russia is ready to leave the door of commerce open to all on the same terms as for herself, as Great Britain did after the South African war, she will dispel much of the hostility which now confronts her. But this she cannot do. Russia has embarked upon a system of governmental development that is unsound, and honeycombed with chicanery; and the empire handicapped by financial weakness, industrial unsoundness and internal discontent is in poor condition to carry on a great war. If war to the point of exhaustion is really her policy, it is a question whether Japan, if she holds her resources well in reserve, cannot play that game as successfully as her antagonist. Thus far, Russia has experienced a sorry loss of prestige through her deplorable unpreparedness and an underestimate of her antagonist."

Why don't the farmers of the state go to Iowa and better their condition? The governor says that the Hawkeye state beats the Badger by several points and he ought to know.

The republican party asks the assistance of the Municipal league in its effort to maintain good city government. The democratic party seeks no assistance of this kind. The league is under some obligations to the republican party for success attained and can hardly afford to ignore these obligations.

The statement has been made with some gusto that the Gazette will support any movement advanced by the league as the paper does not dare to defy public sentiment. While the paper is not in the defying business it claims the right of the individual in deciding questions of expediency. Business reform has been thoroughly established in Janesville. The future has to do with maintaining these reforms and this is a question of expediency and not of principles.

There is no longer any talk about removing the capital from Madison, but there is still a good deal of curiosity as to the cause of the fire. This is an idle waste of time so long as one man carries the state around in his pocket. The people have no right to be inquisitive about anything.

With a force of 70 men at work in tearing down the Canadian sugar factory and half as many more soliciting acreage in Rock county, there is no longer any question about the Davidson factory. Janesville will be producing sugar by the first of October.

The Northern Securities decision has been rendered, but it has already been anticipated as unfavorable and all stocks effected have declined some 30 points during the past few months. The New York banks now have a reserve of \$32,000,000 as compared with \$600,000 a year ago, and the court decision will not effect the money market.

It is said that the governor has no desire to go to the senate. His ambition will be satisfied if he can serve "God's Patient Poor" another term in the executive chair.

Twelve inches of snow is good for a round up after four months of sleighing.

LaCrosse Chronicle.—Of course there are among the halfbreed state

officials of that lofty and unsullied type, like Senator McGillivray, the North Wind of Jackson county, who would never ride on a pass in violation of the anti-pass law. Oh, no, they wouldn't!

PRESS COMMENT

Oshkosh Observer: Inasmuch as Bishop C. C. Grafton is something of a czar in governing his subjects, it is not to be wondered at that he favors the rule of the czar of Russia.

El Paso Herald: Prof. Langley's mud buzzard has another appropriation, \$25,000 this time, and it is to make another effort to get away from gravitation. Prof. Langley is an expensive adjunct to the government, considering the results so far.

Racine Journal: Mayor Wather who was a La Follette delegate in the two previous conventions now announces himself opposed to a third term and will support Judge Baensch.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: Japan does not consume American flour and Russia will not buy it. The war seems to be an insufficient reason for the advance in prices.

Chicago News: In promulgating their theory that apples are a cure for bad habits and bad morals, the horticulturists wish it understood that they do not vouch for the apple's efficacy after it has been converted into hard cider or imported champagne.

BauClaire Leader.—A New York physician has invented a curious and delicate machine which will distinctly illuminate the internal organs. Perhaps we can find out now what's the matter with Mr. Bryan's liver.

Fond du Lac Reporter: We are a peculiar people. We send remonstrances to Russia because a mob massacres the Jews, and it takes regiments of soldiers to prevent our own mob from dealing with the negroes in a similar manner. We are always ready to "butt in" to every body else's affairs and forget that we have troubles of our own.

Appleton Crescent: Newspaper advertising costs you too much when you try it today and stop it tomorrow. So would clerks cost you too much, if you hired them for a day now and then. Same with delivery wagons. The wheels of your business must never stop, and the whole machinery is out of gear unless the big advertising wheel is always turning.

Akron Beacon Journal: The offers of "Willie" Hearst and his millionaire's mother to the democratic campaign fund are not much after all when placed beside the statement when the other day that \$400,000,000 made the other day in Wall street for the defeat of President Roosevelt. The Hearsts will have to raise the ante.

Grant County Herald.—The earth is frozen to a depth of from three to five feet. This will insure a fine mechanical condition of the soil for spring crops. "Old King Frost" is a great pulverizer and when he grinds the soil in his crushing grip it means an increased yield of corn and other grains.

Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.—Now if Mr. Bryan could only furnish the goat which Grover is to ride when the Princeton Elks do the rest next Tuesday. Ouch.

Oshkosh Northwestern.—From the manner in which the close friends of the governor are fighting the suggestion as to the causes of the recent capital fire there is a growing suspicion that after all there may be something rotten which they are afraid to have disclosed.

Madison Journal: Isn't it crowding the "spontaneous uprising" business a little too fast for the governor to be using the students, to whom he has given employment under state pay, to circulate the petition asking for his renomination for a third term? Aside from the fact that it is an unwise forcing of sentiment, is it a decent way in which to use the students?

La Crosse Leader and Press: During the last few days, while the futility of the attempt to secure an unpurged defection from Wisconsin to the democratic national convention has fizzled out, the Hearst men have become more active than formerly and it has become apparent that such contest as will take place in the state convention will be between the friends of Mr. Wall and the friends of Mr. Hearst. The present situation should therefore give satisfaction to everybody.

Chicago News: Now that New York has gone crazy about the slang term "talking the lid off" the origin of the expression is being sought. John Burns, the English labor leader, is credited with having said that Pittsburg "looked like hell with the lid off." The fact is that a good many years ago James Parton wrote, "Pittsburg at night looks like hell with the lid off." Probably there is where the expression originated.

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FOR SALE—A good office or work horse. Inquire at 418 S. Franklin St.

FOR SALE—Nine room house at 151 Racine street; full lot, well and electric; all newly improved. Fred Rehner, 151 Racine street.

FOR SALE—100 acres of level land in town of La Prairie, 2 1/2 miles south of city limits, in northern R. R. near sugar factory site. Long time; low interest. 22 S. Main St.

FOR SALE—An 80 acre farm near city; a 200-acre farm in central Minnesota; good improvements. Also house and lot in city. Money to loan. Inquire of H. J. Maxfield, Room 2, Central Block.

FOR SALE—Old paper for shavings and for laying under carpets. 15 cents a bushel, at Gazette office.

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FOR SALE—Having just sold the First M. J. church property, I am now offering for sale the Court St. property, consisting of two stores on Main street, and room for three more on Court street. Also, 8 modern flats. Apply to F. L. Stevens.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A splendid 20 acre farm. Also, 1000 and tobacco land. J. L. Fisher, Hayes Block.

FOR RENT—3 rooms for light housekeeping facing the park. Inquire of E. S. Fennell at Grubb's Produce Co.

FOR RENT—100 acre farm near Janesville. Inquire of O. Wick.

FOR RENT—One-half of three-story brick building, known as hotel factory, 200 S. Franklin street; suitable for tobacco warehouse or manufacturing purposes. Geo. Woodruff, Adm.

FOR RENT—One furnished room at 294 S. Main street.

FOR RENT—Two new 3 room flats, all modern, with bath and steam heat, in Grubb block, Equitable Bldg. (Grubb's clothing store).

MISCELLANEOUS

FOUND: A package on S. Jackson St. Owner can have same by calling at 103 Williams St. near Hansen Furniture Co.

MRS. E. McCarthy, 278 W. Milwaukee street, will furnish help at short notice. She always has places for such localities as a good home. Confections and cigars. Phone 60.

CHOICE "Big Four" seed oats, northern U. grown, and cleaned. Also a small lot of extra No. 3 barley, cleaned especially for feed. E. A. Brown & Co.

PUBLIC AUCTION, March 16, on the Giles Ford farm, 140 acres, including 2000 sheep, horses, cattle, farm machinery, corn and hay.

MASKED MEN BEAT MINE LEADER

Attack on Agent of John Mitchell in Made on a Train.

Trinidad, Col., March 15.—Christopher Evans, financial manager of the United Mineworkers' of America, was beaten by three masked men with 15 volvers on board a Colorado and Southern passenger train bound for Pueblo and badly hurt. The men boarded the train at a point a mile east of Trinidad and after attacking Evans jumped off and escaped. Evans was sent to Colorado by President John Mitchell.

DECISION FAVORS RAILROADS.

Right to Cross the Public Domain is Upheld by Texas Court.

Austin, Texas, March 15.—The Supreme court has held that railroads are entitled to right of way across the public domain in western Texas, though the fee remains in the state and the railroads are held subject to the rights of the state. The question is of considerable importance, as an adverse decision would have probably stopped the building of the Orient and other roads.

ADOPTS AMERICAN MONEY UNIT

Panama Convention Fixes Upon Gold Dollar of United States.

Panama, March 15.—According to a decree of the convention, the monetary unit of the republic after Dec. 31 next will be the gold dollar of the same dimensions and weight, by law, as the United States dollar. The silver currency now in circulation will be exchanged at the rate of \$100 in gold for \$225 in silver. The decree is being generally discussed.

Chicago Inter Ocean: The mills of

Hustisford, Wis., are deluged because carp of large size and in great number are blocking the water wheels, Hustisford has heretofore been regarded as a fairly reliable news center.

Madison Journal: The "spontaneous uprising" of university students to sign the La Follette third term call hasn't yet interfered with the classes, though it is proving an awful strain upon the self-respect of the poor fellows to whom is assigned the work of circulating the papers.

Prospect in Himalayas.

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Muslin Underwear

Wednesday March 16th

Annual Spring Sale of high class Muslin Underwear. The line comprises gowns, skirts, chemise, drawers and corset covers.

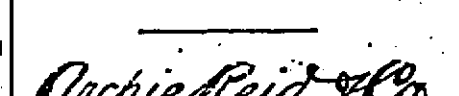
Three special counters with garments from above lines at 49c, 69c, 89c.

Other lines of muslin drawers and corset covers will be on sale at 21c and 39c.

Children's muslin drawers, size 1, 2, 3, for this sale at 10c.

Sizes 4, 5, 6 and 7 at 15c.

Complete sample line of fine Gowns, Skirts, Chemise, Drawers and Corset Covers at special prices.



BANDIT MARX AND HIS STORY

OF IMAGINARY CRIME COMMIT-
TED HERE YEARS AGO.

LYMAN THEORY IS SCOUTED

Police Officials Take No Stock in
Confession That 12 Year Old Boy
Killed Jude Man in 1897.

Standing in the shadow of the gallows the convicted car-burner bandits are making their last bid for newspaper notoriety by generously confessing to and clearing up every murder mystery in the criminal annals of late years. The morbid pleasure they will derive from attracting the public gaze in their direction during the last hours in this world, can hardly be appreciated by the sane and healthy mind. Their revelations would be a subject for laughter and ridicule did they not, in the light of their authors' impending doom, take on a shade of the grotesque and horrible.

The Janesville "Mystery"
Gustav Marx made a series of confessions to Chicago newspaper reporters Sunday night. Among other tales woven apparently from the clear was the following:

"Eight years ago Niedemeyer and I went to Janesville, Wis., to rob a train and did our dynamite alongside the track. A track walker of railway detective—I have never learned which—came upon us and asked us what we were doing there. I shot him and we threw his body into Rock river."

It happens curiously enough that about that length of time ago George Lyman of Jude came to this city to transact some business with Judge B. F. Dunwiddie. He called on David Watt and others and after late in the afternoon started for Atton to pay a visit to Joseph Humphrey. The next morning his body was found in the river just below the Jackson street bridge. Excepting a row of marks on one hand that might possibly have been made by brass knuckles, there were no signs of violence. A pocket-book that was supposed to have contained about \$50 was missing but another pocket-book containing some additional money was found in an inside pocket.

Confession Scouted
There was no sign of any bullet wound. The body was not found near the railroad tracks. Chief of Police Hogan said this morning: "I take no stock in the bandit's story and know of no circumstance confirming any detail of the confession." Judge B. F. Dunwiddie said: "There seems to be no connection between the Marx story and the Lyman matter and I know of no other instance where a body has been found in the Rock river excepting the well-known case four years ago." The ridiculous thing about it all is that Marx who now gives his age as 21 years would have been just 13 at the time the crime was committed.

What Dan Ryan Says
The body of George Lyman on being recovered from the river was taken to the undertaking rooms of Ryan & Son. In speaking of the matter this morning Dan Ryan said that no inquest was held at the time as it was supposed that the man had fallen from the bridge. There were some marks on the back of the head that seemed to support this theory. It struck him as curious at the time, however, that the body should have risen to the top of the water in so brief a period. No water was found in the lungs and stomach and this seemed to indicate that death had come before the body reached the water. When death from drowning occurs the lungs fill with water and the body sinks. Mr. Ryan looked up the date of the occurrence and found it to be April 5, 1897—just seven years ago this coming month.

Were Here Last Summer
"I think Marx meant to say eight months ago instead of years," said Officer John Brown. "The three of them (Niedemeyer, Marx and Van Dine) were in Janesville one day last June and we saw them loading about the Knipp brewery. They said that they were waiting for a train to get back to Chicago. They have started in the bragging business and it probably occurred to Marx that Janesville would be a good place to locate one of his imaginary crimes. They appeared and acted like young boys—were noticed particularly—and that is the reason we were able to identify them afterwards."

Have a Last Price
One of the Chicago papers this morning says that murder "confessions" have become a commercial commodity with the car-burn bandits. Yesterday the members of the condemned trio were offering to "hand out the bunk" at so much "per handout." Prices varied with the number of murders in the "confession," and in accordance with the "sensation" they thought the story would create. Confessions in stock were quoted at lower prices than those made to order along lines suggested by the purchaser.

The schedule of prices, so far as a schedule could be arranged for such varied commodities reduced to figures, was something like this:

NEIDEMEYER'S PRICES.
Interview from five to twenty minutes, \$5.

Interview containing murder confessions (depending on number), \$10 and upwards.

Confession solving any noted mystery, \$5 in hand and half the reward.

MARX'S PRICES.
Short chat, no important revelations, cigar, box of cigarettes, or piece of "eating" tobacco.

Confession containing "the real stuff," \$10 with 50 per cent discount providing he is made a hero.

Confession containing how any "big thing" was "pulled off," split of reward, remainder to be given relatives of victims.

VAN DINE'S PRICES.
Ordinary confidence, price of day's "eating," 75 cents.

Confession, with sensations, "cat-

ing money" for a week.
Story that will make a new criminal history of Cook county, warranted to contain some truth, "a round sum," not definitely specified.

Why Niedemeyer is Expensive
Niedemeyer declared that his stories were worth more than those of the others, because he had killed more men. He declined to show further samples of his "goods" until the money was paid in hand.

Van Dine admitted that his claims were more modest than "Pete's" because of the latter's superiority. Marx appeared to feel that he was not appreciated. He seemed to have been disappointed. "Tell that guy that I haven't seen the price of a cigar even for what I have handed out," he called to a guard. "Tell him I've quit talking first."

Through the medium of the guard, Marx later made known the conditions under which he would talk.

THE WEATHER

Temperature last 24 hours taken from U. S. registered thermometer at Helmstreet's drugstore: highest, 37 above; lowest, 18 above; ther. at 7 a. m., 22; at 3 p. m., 35; wind, north; pleasant.

FUTURE EVENTS

Rev. C. F. McBride lectures on "Ireland in Picture, Story and Song" at St. Patrick's church, Tuesday evening, March 15.

E. H. Southern in "The Proud Prince" at Myers theatre, Wednesday evening, March 16.

Mrs. Maria Weed of Chicago lectures on "Mormonism and Anti-Polygamy" in parlors of Court Street church Wednesday evening, March 16.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Janesville City Lodge, No. 90, I. O. O. F., at West Side Odd Fellows' hall, Western Star Lodge, No. 14, F. & A. M., at Masonic hall.

Janesville Lodge, No. 254, B. P. O. E., at K. of P. hall.

Omega Council, No. 214, the Royal Leagues.

Harness Makers' union at Assembly hall.

Brewery Workers' union at Assembly hall.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Talk to Lowell.
For wall paper and paints "Talk to Lowell."

Easter cards, Skelly's bookstore.

Window shades, any size or color, Skelly's bookstore.

Beautiful line of new wall papers at Skelly's bookstore.

We are now showing all the new weaves and shades in spring dress goods. Call and get prices. T. P. Burns.

For the new and up-to-date wall papers go to Skelly's bookstore.

We have every facility for solving your wall paper wants. See us before you buy.

Quality, style and price are inducements that are sure to win, hence the numerous sales in our suit department these days. T. P. Burns.

Prof. Kehl gives his closing party of the first term Friday, the 18th; dancing from 8:30 to 1 o'clock.

Miss Ekama Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Brooks, 120 Madison street, starts tonight for North Dakota, where she will remain visiting relatives for several months. She will be accompanied by her brother, Edward Brooks, who has been visiting in this city.

Our line of dress and walking skirts is so large that we cannot fail to suit you. T. P. Burns.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

R. D. Codman spent a few hours in the city today with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howe left this morning for Chicago where they will spend several days.

Rev. L. J. Vaughn left for his home in La Crosse yesterday after spending the day in the city, the guest of Rev. W. A. Goebel.

Waalen Harvey went to Brodhead this morning to attend the funeral of his aunt, the late Mrs. Campbell, of that place.

Miss O'Neill, who has charge of the millinery department of the Simpson store, left this morning for Chicago to get new ideas in the spring millinery line.

Clinton Wilcox was in the city this morning greeting old friends.

Mr. Harry McCarthy has returned from Chicago where he transacted business last week.

Mrs. J. H. Huntress has been called to Omaha by the death of her brother.

Mrs. Barko and daughter, Miss Mary Barker, have returned from Minneapolis.

C. W. Schwartz was in Rockford to look over the scenery used by "The Proud Prince" company which plays there this evening. The immense quantity will require extra carriage facilities which Mr. Schwartz will provide for in handling.

PICTURES TO BE SEEN NEXT WEEK

Janesville Art League Arrange to Bring Thurbur Art Gallery Here on Wednesday.

The committee of the Janesville Art league in charge of the arrangements for the coming exhibition of the Thurbur collection of oils and water colors in the art room of the public library, has decided to give the entertainment on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of next week.

LAID IN LAST RESTING PLACE

Mrs. Thomas Austin
Funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Thomas Austin were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence in Johnstown center, Rev. Huey conducting the services, and the interment being at Johnstown center cemetery.

LEAGUE MEETING COMES TONIGHT

A FULL ATTENDANCE IS HOPED
FOR BY THOSE INTERESTED.

IS VITAL TO REPUBLICANS

Should the Meeting Decide To Place
a Ticket in the Field, It May
Mean Three Corners Fight.

Tonight there is to be a citizens' mass-meeting, called by the executive committee of the Municipal league, at which every citizen is invited to be present. It is not for leaguers, but for the general public, and as there are many questions to be decided it is hoped that the republicans of the city will attend in full force.

Many Objections
Since the publication in the Gazette last night of what was done at the meeting of the executive committee of the Municipal league last Saturday night there has been much adverse criticism of the plan to place a league ticket in the field at this time when the democrats have already made their nomination and the republicans are planning to make theirs this week. This is one of the important questions which will be considered tonight.

Interest to Republicans
As one prominent league member said today: "The republicans elected the league ticket last spring, but I doubt if they will support such an action this year. The league started too late in the campaign to do their work and if they place a ticket in the field now it may result in the election of the entire democratic ticket." This seems to be the sentiment of the politicians of the city and the meeting tonight should be well attended so that the decision, reached would represent the mass of the citizens—not a few.

STEAM HEATING PLANT ACTION

Judge Fifield Found for Plaintiff in
Case of W. F. Palmer vs.
Fred E. Green.

In the case of W. F. Palmer vs. Fred E. Green, brought in municipal court on the part of the plaintiff to recover \$4000 damages for damages sustained in removing from plaintiff's residence of a \$1,600 steam heating plant alleged to be defective, Judge Fifield today handed down a decision awarding \$299.61 to the plaintiff.

HIGH REVELRY OF EAGLES TONIGHT

Beloit Aerie Expected to Bring Live
Bird Mascot—Services to
Continue Late

This is the night of the Eagles' advent to Janesville. The services being about seven o'clock and will last far into the night. Nearly a hundred candidates will be initiated into the mysteries of the order. The Beloit aerie is expected to bring its mascot, a fine large bird recently captured in the state. Covers are to be laid for over two hundred at Assembly hall.

CURRENT NEWS NOTES

Regular Meeting: Regular communication Western Star Lodge, No. 14, F. & A. M., Masonic hall this evening at 7:30. Work M. M. degree. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

Not a Candidate: With all respect to the friends who sought to honor me, I wish to state that I am not a candidate for any office in the Second ward, J. W. Scott.

Will Bow This Evening: The Marzluft employees of the machine and lasting departments will bow this evening at the Hockett alley on North Main street. Game calls at 7:30 sharp.

Will Speak This Evening: Dr. W. O. Carrier, of Carroll college, will be the guest of the Men's league at the Presbyterian church tonight and will be the orator of the evening.

Finished Repairing Cable: The work of repairing the broken underground cable of the Rock County Telephone company in front of the old postoffice building was completed this morning.

Are Fortunate: The people of Janesville are fortunate to be able to hear an address on "Mormonism and Anti-Polygamy" just at this time when the whole country is stirred up over the question. Mrs. Maria Weed of Chicago brings a message of particular interest to all citizens, and those who are interested in missionary work will hear facts that are worthy of thoughtful consideration. She will lecture in the parlors of Court Street church Wednesday evening of this week, at 7:30 o'clock. Her lecture is free and all who are interested in the Reed Smoot case should not fail to hear her.

Unhappy Spanish Royalty.
The family of Don Carlos, the pretender to the Spanish throne, seems likely to establish a record for unhappy marriages. Of his three daughters, Donna Beatrice tried to drown herself in the Tiber, out of jealousy of her husband; Princess Elvira eloped with a married artist named Folchi, and recently Princess Alice, wife of Prince Frederick of Schomburg-Waldenburg, fled from her husband.—Leslie's Weekly.

Houses in Japan.
A Japanese house is generally all on one floor. The number of rooms in it depends on the number of bedrooms the owner requires. They are divided for the night by paper shutters, fixed in grooves, like the divisions of an old-fashioned work box. There are no doors or passages.

J. M. WHITEHEAD STATE CHAIRMAN

Enters Upon Ninth Year of Service
as Head of Wisconsin Y. M. C. A.
Association.

At the closing business session of the annual convention of the Wisconsin Young Men's Christian association at Oshkosh on Saturday Senator John M. Whitehead was re-elected director for three years and at the annual meeting of the board of directors of the state association he was re-elected chairman. Mr. Whitehead now enters upon the ninth year of his service as state chairman and on his tenth as director.

Other Officers Chosen
C. H. Willis of Milwaukee was made secretary; A. V. Bishop of Milwaukee, treasurer; F. E. Anderson of Milwaukee, state secretary; and Charles Puelher of Milwaukee, assistant secretary. A. C. Smith of Oshkosh was the president of the convention and H. A. Meellenbach of Clinton, second vice-president. The state association has undertaken to raise a fund of \$5,000 and \$1,200 of the amount was raised on Saturday within a few hours after the project was launched.

Kenosha Won the Meet
Kenosha easily won the indoor meet Saturday night. Milwaukee Central Y. M. C. A. was second and Racine third. Milwaukee South Side, Marinette and Oshkosh finished in the order named. Huffer of Racine won the high jump, height 5 feet 5 inches. Rounder of Milwaukee Central won the shot-put, distance 42 feet 5 inches. Springer of Milwaukee Central won the pole vault, height 9 feet 10 inches. Scholz of Kenosha won the potato race, time 1:40 2-5.

The Independent
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Income of Russian Farmers.

The statistical committee of the province of Voronezh, Russia, a fairly representative district, shows that the average farmer's family consists of eight persons; that their gross annual revenue is \$105 in money and \$107 in farm products. They spend for taxes and rent \$48.80; for clothing, \$8.48; for tea and sugar, \$1.96; for furniture, \$1.64; for salt, \$1.20; for kerosene, 88 cents; for soap, 39 cents; for "articles of personal comfort," 4 cents.

Size of Colombia.

Colombia, exclusive of Panama, is as large as the two states of California and Texas combined. Three high mountain ranges cross the republic from north to south, making high tablelands between where the days the year round are scarcely hotter than those of a temperate zone.

Rugs Made of Old Carpets
Address M. Iralson, Smith's hotel.

Satisfaction...

Is guaranteed when you trade here
We try to please the most particular, if we fail, your money is returned just as freely as it was taken. Become a regular customer and see how well we serve you. Send the children if you cannot come yourself. We are particular in choosing for them. The same being true of meats and groceries are the best and as low as the lowest, quality considered.

21 lbs. Best Granulated
Sugar\$1.00

3 cans Lewis Lye25c

10 lb keg Holland Herring. 60c

Best Round Steak10c

Pork Chops.....10c

Fine Boiling Meat5c to 8c

Best Rib Roast.....10c

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WEDNESDAY PRICES

9 Bars Something Good
White Laundry Soap 25c

9 Bars Swift's Prides soap 25c

12 Cakes Toilet Soap 25c

Bulk Starch
5c a lb., 7 lbs. for 25c

Kingsford Gloss Starch
9c, 3 for 25c

10 dozen Clothes Pins 10c

Willow Clothes Baskets 60c

90 foot Clothes Line 10c

4 lb. package Gold Dust 18c

E. R. WINSLOW

Both Phones. 20 N. Main St.

THE SEAL OF DEAD SILENCE

HANGS OVER PROCEEDINGS OF
GRAND JURY TODAY.

EVANSVILLE VERY INDIGNANT

Over Aspersions Cast on Fair Name—
Circuit Court Case Delayed by
Locomotive Break-Down.

At half-past ten o'clock this morning the grand jury again assembled to take up the misdoings of individuals and institutions in Rock county. The seal of silence was so strong that no details of the proceedings could be learned this morning. It is hinted however that Beloit is the subject of today's investigations.

County Is Aroused
Out in the county the newspapers are springing to the dense of their ballistics and their aspersions cast on their fair names by an unbridled press. The Evansville Review says in its last issue that although the Janesville correspondent for a certain Milwaukee paper "may imagine that he is thoroughly posted as to the alleged rotteness throughout the county, his aspersions regarding Evansville are somewhat far-fetched, but no one is suffering; loss of sleep over the trader."

Principals Were Late
The case of Anna Reckord vs. the Evansville fair was not continued in circuit court this morning owing to the breakdown of a locomotive hauling the train due here about 9:30 from Evansville. Judge Dunwiddie permitted the principals in the case to return to their home with the understanding that they should be back at 9:30 tomorrow morning. He says it will be the last time he grants such leniency.

Among the witnesses called from the line city were: Beecher Hildes, E. F. Wahlman, A. S. Bennett, Dudley Kleinart, and Attorney C. D. Woolsey.

Given Orders
At 9:50 Judge Dunwiddie instructed the jury to find a verdict for the defendant.

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This evening at St. Patrick's church the Rev. Charles F. McBride of Oconomowoc, will deliver an interesting and instructive lecture on Ireland in Picture, Story and Song, fully illustrated by stereoscopic views, which were taken by Rev. McBride upon his recent tour of Ireland. He needs no introduction to the citizens of Janesville as he has appeared here on several different occasions. He is considered to be an eloquent speaker and singer of exceptional ability. This is the first time that this lecture has been presented in the city accompanied by stereoscopic views of Ireland's picturesque scenery, and it is hoped that a large audience will be present.

ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

(Special Telegram.)
Elgin, Ill., March 14.—The butter market was firm today, with 21½¢ the official quotation. Forty-five cases of prints from Delavan, thirty-six from Fairdale, and 100 tubs Jones from Union were offered. There is a bid of 24½¢ on prints; no sales. There is a slight increase in the output of the Elgin district.

Is This So? Tom Morrissey declines nomination for constable of the second ward for the reason that his campaign manager, Elmer Skelly, refuses to manage his campaign, on account of the blasing clause put into the democratic platform by Alderman Connell. By request.

An Interesting Short Story
Once upon a time the regular bakery bakers of a certain town said to the grocers if you handle any of the home-made bread of the Grubb Produce make we will not sell you our goods. Six-cent bread would be the price in Janesville today if two daily papers of this town did not publish far and wide that the price of a full pound loaf of the best fresh bread made is but 4 cents and yesterday's bread only 2½ cts. Every loaf of bread you buy of Grubb's make is not only the best you ever ate but

Moran of the Lady Letty

By
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CHAPTER III.

ANOTHER day passed, then two. Before Wilbur knew it he had settled himself to his new life, and woke one morning to the realization that he was positively enjoying himself. Daily the weather grew warmer. The fifth day out from San Francisco it was actually hot. The pitch grew soft in the Bertha Miller's deck seats; the masts sweated resin. The Chinamen went about the decks wearing but their jeans and blouses. Kitchell had long since abandoned his coat and vest. Wilbur's oldskins became intolerable, and he was at last constrained to trade his pocketknife to Charlie for a suit of jeans and wicker sandals such as the coolies wore, and odd enough he looked in the main.

The captain instructed him in steering and even promised to show him the use of the sextant and how to take an observation in the fake short and easy coasting style of navigation. Furthermore, he showed him how to read the log and the manner of keeping the dead reckoning.

During most of his watches Wilbur was engaged in painting the inside of the cabin, door panels, hatches and the few scattered moldings, and toward the middle of the first week out, when the Bertha Miller was in the latitude of Point Conception, he and three Chinamen, under Kitchell's direction, rattled down the fore rigging and muzzed the crew's nest upon the foremast. The next morning during Charlie's watch on deck a Chinaman was sent up into the crew's nest, and from that time on there was always a lookout maintained from the mainmast.

More than once Wilbur looked around him at the empty conspiring indigo of the ocean floor, wondering at the necessity of the lookout, and finally expressed his curiosity to Kitchell. The captain had by now taken not a little to Wilbur, at first for the sake of a white man's company and afterward because he began to place a certain vague reliance upon Wilbur's judgment. Kitchell had remarked as how he had brains.

"Well, you see, son," Kitchell had explained to Wilbur, "as-tenible we are afraid shark liver oil, an' so we are, but also we are on any lay that turns up—ready for any game from wrecking to barnyard. Strike me, if I haven't thought of scuttling the dough dish for her insurance. There's regular trade, son, to be done in ships, an' then there's pickin's an' pickin's an' pickin's. Lord! The ocean's rich with pickin's. Do you know there's millions made out of the day-bree and refuse of a big city? How about an ocean's day-bree? Just chew on that notion a turn. An' as far as a lookout, lemme tell you, son, cast your eye out you." And he swept the sea with a forearm. "Notin', hey? So it looks, but lemme tell you, son, there ain't no manner of place on the ball of dirt where you're likely to run up about of so many things—unexpected things—as at sea. When you're clear o' land lay to this here pre-cep—'A million to one on the unexpected.'"

The next day fell almost dead calm. The hale, lusty lunged nor'wester that had snorted their forth from the Golden Gate had lapsed to a zephyr. The schooner rolled lazily southward with the leisurely nonchalance of a

grazing ox. At noon, just after dinner, a few cat's paws curdled the milky blue whiteness of the glassy surface, and the water once more began to talk beneath the bowsprit. It was very hot. The sun spun silently like a spinning brass disc over the mainmast. On the fore'side head the Chinamen were asleep or smoking opium. It was Charlie's watch. Kitchell dozed in his hammock in the shadow of the main-sheet. Wilbur was about tinkering with his paint pot below the cabin. The stillness was profound. It was the stillness of the summer sea at high noon.

The lookout in the crew's nest broke the quiet.

"Hy-yah, hy-yah!" he cried, leaning from the barrel and calling through an arched palm. "Hy-yah, one, two, plenty, many turtle, topside wataah; hy-yah, all same turtle."

"Hello, hello!" cried the captain, rolling from his hammock. "Turtle? Where away?"

"I tinkum 'bout quallah mite, mebbe, four piece turtle all same weatha bow."

"Turtle, hey? Down y'r wheel, Jim; haul y'r jib to win'ward," he commanded the man at the wheel; then to the men forward: "Get the dory overboard. Son, Charlie and you, Wing, tumble in. Wake up now and see you stay so."

The dory was swung over the side, and the men dropped into her and took their places at the oars. "Give way," cried the captain, settling himself in the bow, with the gaff in his hand. "Hey, Jim!" he shouted to the lookout far above. "Hey, hy our course for us." The lookout nodded, the oars fell, and the dory shot forward in the direction indicated by the lookout.

"Kin you row, son?" asked Kitchell, with sudden suspicion. Wilbur smiled.

"You ask Charlie and Wing to ship their oars and give me a pair." The captain complied hesitatingly.

"Now, what," he said gruffly—"now, what do you think you're going to do, sonny?"

"I'm going to show you the Bob Cook stroke we used in our boat in '05, when we bent Harvard," answered Wilbur.

Kitchell gazed doubtfully at the first few strokes, then with growing interest watched the tremendous reach, the

powerful knee drive, the swing, the easy catch and the perfect recovery. The dory was cutting the water like a gasoline launch, and between strokes there was the least possible dimpling of the speed.

"I'm a bit out of form just now," remarked Wilbur, "and I'm used to the sliding seat, but I guess I'll do."

Kitchell glanced at the human machine that once was No. 5 in the Yale boat and then at the water hissing from the dory's bows. He spat over the bows and sucked the spittle from his mustache thoughtfully.

"I see-marked," he observed, "as how you had brains, my son."

A few minutes later the captain, who was standing in the dory's bow and alternately coming the ocean's surface and looking back to the Chinaman standing on the schooner's main-head, uttered an exclamation: "Steady! Ship your oars! Quiet, now! Quiet, you fools! We're right on 'em. Four of 'em, an' big as dinin' tables!"

The oars were shipped. The dory's speed dwindled. "Out your paddles, sit on the gun! and paddle easy." The hands obeyed. The captain's voice dropped to a whisper. His back was toward them, and he gestured with one free hand. Looking out over the water from his seat on the gun! Wilbur could make out a round greenish mass like a patch of floating seaweed just under the surface some sixty yards ahead.

"Easy, steady," whispered the captain under his elbow. "Go ahead, port. E-easy all! Steady! Steady!"

The affair began to assume the intensity of a little drama—a little drama of



He lunged forward sharply, midocean. In spite of himself, Wilbur was excited. He even found occasion to observe that the life was not so bad after all. This was as good fun as stalking deer. The dory moved forward by inches. Kitchell's whisper was as faint as a dying infant's. "Steady all, s-steady, s-steady!"

He lunged forward sharply with the gaff and shouted aloud: "I got him! Grab hold his tail flippers, you fool swabs—grab hold quick! Don't you leggo! Got him there, Charlie? If he gets away, you s-sneive, I'll rip y'r— with the gaff! Heave now, heave—there—there—son, stand clear his flippers. Strike me, he's a whacker! I thought he was going to get away. Saw me just as I swung the gaff an' ducked his nut."

Over the side, bundled without ceremony into the boat, clashing, thrashing, clattering and blowing like the exhaust of a donkey engine, tumbled the great green turtle, his wet green shield of shell three feet from edge to edge, the gaff firmly transfixed in his body just under the fore flipper. From under his shell protruded his snake-like head and neck, withered like that of an old man. He was waving his head from side to side, the jaws snapping like a snapped silk handkerchief. Kitchell thrust him away with a paddle. The turtle craned his neck and, catching a bit of wood in his jaw, bit it in two in a single grip.

"I tol' you so—I tol' you to stand clear his snapper. If that had been your shln now, el? Hello! What's that?"

Faintly across the water came a prolonged hullooming from the schooner. Kitchell stood up in the dory, shunning his eyes with his hat.

"What's bittin' 'em now?" he muttered, with the uneasiness of a captain away from his ship. "Oughta left Charlie on board, or you, son. Who's doin' that yellin'? I can't make out."

"Up in the crew's nest," exclaimed Wilbur. "It's Jim. See; he's waving his arms."

"Well, whaduz he wave his blasted arms for?" growled Kitchell, angry because something was going forward he did not understand.

"There, he's shouting again. Listen—I can't make out what he's yelling."

"He'll yell to a different place when I get my grip of him. I'll twist the head of that swab till he'll have to look back to see where he's goin'." Whaduz he wave his arms for—whaduz he yell like a philly-loo bird for? What's him say, Charlie?"

"Jim heup sing, no can tell. Mebbe—tinkum sing, come back chop-chop."

"Well, see. Oars out, men; give way. Now, son, out a little that Yale stingo in the stroke."

In the crew's nest Jim still yelled and waved like one distraught, while the dory returned at a smart clip to

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ward the schooner. Kitchell lathered with fury.

"Oh-h," he murmured softly through his gritted teeth, "Joss lemme lay me two hands afoot of you wunst, you gibbering, yellow philly-loo bird! Believe me, you'll dance! Shut up!"

"Shut up! Shut up! Shut up! Shut up!" he roared.

The dory bumped alongside, and the captain was over the rail like quicksilver. The hands were all in the bow, looking and pointing to the west. Jim slid down the railings, bubbling over with suppressed news. Before his feet had touched the deck Kitchell had kicked him into the stays again, fulminating blasphemies.

"Sing!" he shouted as the Chinaman clambered away like a bewildered ape.

"Sing a little more! I would if I were you. Why don't you sing and wave, you fool philly-loo bird?"

"Yes, sah," answered the cooly.

"What you yell for? Charlie, ask him whafos him sing."

"I tinkum ship," answered Charlie calmly, looking over the starboard quarter.

"Ship!"

"Him velly sick," hazarded the Chinaman from the railings, adding a sentence in Chinese to Charlie.

"He says he tinkum ship sick, all same; ask um something—ship velly sick."

[To be Continued.]

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Suspend an Old Officer.

St. Louis, Mo., March 15.—The directors of the Travelers' Protective Association have suspended from office Louis T. Lebeaume, who for fourteen years has been secretary-treasurer.

Archbishop Was a Jew.

London, March 15.—Archbishop Kohn of Onnetz, Moravia, has resigned under the advice of the Pope in consequence of the fierce attacks on the archbishop's Jewish origin.

New Bank Is Authorized.

Springfield, Ill., March 15.—The auditor has issued a license for the organization of the Seatonville State bank at Seatonville, Bureau county. The capital is \$25,000.

Secretary Pierce Sails.

Naples, March 15.—Third Assistant Secretary of State Pierce, who is inspecting the United States consulates in the Mediterranean, has sailed for Alexandria, Egypt.

Big Strike in Budapest.

Budapest, Hungary, March 15.—What may be the beginning of a general strike occurred Monday when 8,000 tailors and 5,000 metal workers went out.

Boy Swims Fast Half Mile.

Sydney, N. S. W., March 15.—A boy named Kelran, 16 years old, swam a half mile in 11 minutes, 29.45 seconds, which beats the world's record.

Three Die in Railway Wreck.

Joplin, Mo., March 15.—A Kansas City Southern freight train was derailed six miles south of Joplin while running at a rapid rate down the Saginaw Hill. Three men were killed, three injured and seventeen cars of merchandise demolished.

Insane as Result of Murder.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 15.—John Layher, a neighbor of the Ramsey family, three of whom were murdered by Jerry Diggs, has become insane over the tragedy and is in jail for safe-keeping. He begs for protection from mob violence.

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DYING IN THE PRISON HOSPITAL

Labor Leader Sam Parks Is Suffering From Consumption.

New York, March 15.—Samuel Parks is dying in the hospital at Sing Sing prison. Dr. Robert T. Ervine, the prison physician, says his trouble is incurable, and for thirteen days he has been in a rapid decline. His death may come any day. Parks was sent to Sing Sing to serve a sentence for extortion. He had been business agent, generally known as walking delegate, of local union No. 2 of the Structural Iron Workers' International association. Dr. Ervine examined Parks on his arrival at the prison and found him suffering from consumption. He stood prison life fairly well until late in January, when he began failing rapidly. A month ago he was compelled to remain on his cot in the hospital and since then his decline has been rapid.

GRAND JURY INDICTS M'DONALD

Suspect Insists That He Did Not Kill Bedford School Teacher.

Bedford, Ind., March 15.—The grand jury which has been investigating the murder of Miss Sarah C. Schuler, the Bedford high school teacher, whose body was found in a cab shed on the morning of January 22, has returned an indictment against James McDonald charging him with the murder of the young woman.

Bloomington, Ind., March 15.—James McDonald was told that he had been indicted for murder in the first degree. "I am not guilty," he replied, but further than that he would make no statement. He says he is ready for trial and will go to Bedford and plead not guilty any time he is given an opportunity.

DIES CLINGING TO BROKEN PILE

Man Takes Wrong Car, Is Ejected and End Comes in River.

Elgin, Ill., March 15.—After clinging to a broken pile for three hours, while his companions summoned police from Elgin, four miles away, Edward Keeshan died. He had fallen from the E. in Aurora & Southern railroad bridge at Calumet and half of his body was in the river. Keeshan was a member of the painting firm of Insley & Park. He and his friend had boarded a car bound for Aurora instead of Elgin and were put off.

Lions Lack Lung Power.

Lions and tigers have little endurance, and their lung power is remarkably weak. They can outrun a man and equal a fast horse in speed for a short distance, but they lose their wind at the end of half a mile or so.

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3rd Prize	3.00
4th Prize	2.00
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Stories will be judged on their literary merit and for composition and punctuation. The Gazette believes there is considerable literary talent in Rock County that should be developed, and it offers an opportunity young people to show their abilities.

Stories are to be written in a clear, legible hand on one side only of paper, type-written manuscript being preferable. So far as possible stories should have a local or state bearing interest, although other subject matter will be acceptable.

Each writer should sign name and give Postoffice address; also state age. There are no conditions other than those already given, and the contest is open to all young people of Rock County.

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COUNTY NEWS

MILTON

Milton Wis. March 14.—People enjoy a change from serious things to humorous, from hard work to pleasure, and on this account none was away disappointed from the joint session of the literary societies at chapel college Saturday evening. The principal feature of the program was a district school, taught by W. C. Lowther, who has had experience as a teacher of such schools in the backwoods of West Virginia. It was evident from the roll call that the St. John and Jenkins families represented about half the school. There were Pipers, Singers, Jacksons, Sharps etc. Some of the characters were excellent, especially the big girl who was "stuck" on the teacher, and the little boy who wore kilts was charming. Paddy McGee's recitation "Beautiful Hands" was the best given during the evening, while the duets and chorus singing was a surprise to the audience.

Will J. Davis, brother of J. C. Goodrich of this village and well known here, has sold his livery business at Colorado Springs, Colo. and will locate in California. Mrs. Davis and the children are expected here next month to visit relatives for a time.

Mrs. W. B. Downing returned from her visit in Oklahoma, Wednesday. Her neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cheney made them a surprise visit Saturday evening and it was an enjoyable occasion.

His name is F. C. Durin not Duran, and his Hummel, not Hummel as the compositor said.

Alva Brown is very feeble and there is no hope of his recovery.

A. B. Saunders of Hinsdale, Ill., spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Seven hundred and thirty four pieces of mail went out on the two rural routes from the Milton Post Office Saturday.

Rev. Dr. Platts preached at Albion Saturday and Prof. Shaw preached here.

Mrs. Mahel Arrington has retired from the Cottage hotel firm and will open a dress making parlor in the rooms formerly occupied by the Gas Company.

W. S. Jones of Janesville spent Sunday here.

Jno. M. Home came out from Milwaukee Sunday.

Frank Montzner and wife of Marion, Iowa, have been guests of Milton relatives this week.

The biggest snow of the season fell Sunday night.

B. H. Wells has been confined to the house for several days by illness.

A. M. VanHorn is a victim of La Grippe and the visitor has two hundred and fifty pounds of man to work on.

MILTON JUNCTION

Milton Junction, March 14.—Col. B. S. Miller of Rhineland Wis. who has been spending this winter with his daughter Mrs. Judge Hardeen of Madison is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Coon this week.

Varnum Price of Watwatonsa, Wis. was an over Sunday visitor at T. B. Peckhams.

Mrs. Ella Conant of Camden N. Y. is expected to visit her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Coon the last of the month.

Geo. Bladiss has moved from Milton to Henry Estey's house at the south Y.

Petitions are being circulated in this locality for the following postal reforms: 1st, consolidate third and fourth class mail into a parcel post to be carried one pound or less for a cent, two cents on each additional pound to 11 pounds. 2nd, Provide a simple and efficient postal currency for remitting fractions of a dollar or larger amounts safely by mail.

About every other man you meet is taking acreage for sugar beets these days.

It looks so now that Janesville would have two factories, although Wagner seems to have the lead by a good many acres.

Thomas Bickel has taken 6 acres and Ed Allen 4 acres of E. D. Coon for sugar beets. Mr. Coon will also have 5 acres himself.

Mrs. Hannah Burdick returned from a two weeks visit to Chicago.

The tobacco is all down and stripped from the stalk in this vicinity.

Miss Lillian Coon spent last week in Milwaukee. She will have charge of Mrs. Roberts' millinery business this season.

Mrs. C. M. Garthwait has typhoid pneumonia.

Mrs. A. Merrill and Mrs. Carl Maxwell have the grippe.

Geo. B. Keith has taken the Dr. Maxson 40 to work this summer.

Mrs. Ambrose Clark has been caring for Mrs. E. D. Coon who has been sick with grippe and kindred diseases the past four weeks.

Dea W. West was taken very sick Thursday night with carillae asthma but is better today.

Prof. A. B. West and wife of Lake Mills were called here Friday by the serious sickness of his father Dea W. West.

At the Rock River Valley high school contest held at this place Monday evening March 8th, Stoughton took first prize, Milton Jet, second, and Edgerton third. Milton Jet retains the banner for the highest standing for both contestants.

Miss Stella Fulton and Miss Caroline Wagner represented Milton Jet.

COOKSVILLE

Cooksville, Wis., March 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Clouden Stebbins of Stoughton were callers on Tuesday.

Extra Stoneburner spent a couple of days last week with his daughter at Avon.

Mrs. Ole Hagen who has been sick with pneumonia for a couple of weeks is on the gain.

Ole Furseth delivered his fat cattle the first of the week.

Messrs. Lewis Erickson and E. M. Stebbins delivered their tobacco on Tuesday.

School closed on Friday for a week's vacation.

The whist parties which have been successfully carried on during the winter, held their last two meetings the past week. The first was held on Wednesday evening with Miss Belle Rice where a very pleasant evening was spent. Mrs. and Mrs. Lee and E. M. Stebbins carried home the prizes.

On Saturday evening the last of the parties was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stebbins where one of the largest gatherings of the kind was most royally entertained by the host and hostess. In competing for the prizes there was a tie and a prize was awarded and were three prizes won by Mrs. Oren Johnson and Miss Sue Johnson.

The annual meeting of the Ladies Aid was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ines Miller. The following officers were elected, Pres. Rice pres., Ines Miller vice pres., Alice Porter sec., Stella Miller treas.

LIMA CENTER

Lima Center, March 14.—The Aid Society will hold a business meeting in the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

Rev. John R. Godfrey and wife of Dakota are visiting his father J. D. Godfrey.

Irwin Godfrey attended the funeral of his friend Milfred Hayer in Watwatonsa Sunday.

Mr. Reese and sons Harry and Earl spent Sunday with Beloit relatives.

Mrs. Titus entertained her mother over Sunday.

Mrs. Norm Freeman went to Milwaukee Saturday for a few days visit.

Albert Sillman has moved his family back to the farm.

Eddie Godfrey and family of Whitewater visited their father Sunday.

UNION

Union, March 14.—Union is on the move. Ed Gilhe, Lou Bullock, Fred Johnson and Will Becker are all moving their families this week.

George and Mary Brauhm will soon move to Evansville.

Robert Benway has laid up the last week with a lame back.

E. L. Rosa has rented his farm to Will Becker.

John Wall has taken the Pierce place and Mr. Hanson will move his family in.

Charley Ham has hired out for the season to Leland Graves.

Mr. Creaser and wife finished shipping their tobacco Friday.

Mrs. M. A. Putnam has been sick with the grippe.

Allen Smith has bought the Iroquoisworth property and is rented by parties from Beloit.

Mrs. Howe of Evansville visited in Union last week.

HANOVER

Hanover, March 14.—Peter Murphy made a business trip to Madison Thursday. It is rumored he went to see about having the capitol building built in Hanover.

E. J. Kano has given up the position at Delavan and gone to Janesville to work.

Frank Owen of Footville was a caller here Thursday.

Miss Tona Luckfield was a Janesville caller Friday.

Rev. Miller was a Janesville visitor Friday.

Joseph Hemingway of Delavan spent Saturday with his parents.

Abner Selmore was in Janesville Saturday on business.

Mrs. Eva Child has gone to Rock Island, Ill.

Ella Berges who is going to school in Janesville spent Saturday at her home here.

Messrs. Uelling and Walden of Madison spent Sunday here.

Chas. School has purchased a big black team.

Those on the sick list around here are Mr. and Mrs. Seaman, Mrs. Schultz, and George Wright, Jr.

Wm. Ehringer shipped a carload of haled hay to Chicago Friday.

There wasn't much tobacco taken down around here during the last storm. Chas. Tibert delivered his tobacco Saturday.

Saturday morning Henry Raymond had the misfortune to have one of his horses kicked by another horse.

About thirty Hanover and Footville people surprised Paul Ehringer Saturday night. Games were played and at 12 o'clock a fine supper was served. All report a good time.

John Kane of Janesville was a visitor here Sunday.

EDGERTON

Edgerton, March 14.—C. H. Babcock spent a few days of the week in Chicago.

Miss Lulu Lund was home from Ft. Atkinson for a brief visit the first of the week.

Mrs. Bryon Long was called to Duluth Minn. Monday by the serious illness of her grand-daughter.

Rudolph Hopp and family arrived in our city the first of the week from Germany and expect to make their home here.

The new railway water tank is completed and trains are stopping once more for their accustomed drink.

People in this vicinity awoke to find the heaviest fall of snow of the

season. At noon the snow was twelve inches or more deep. Many had their sleighs put away until next winter.

A cantata entitled "Voices of Spring" was given at Royal hall Friday evening by the primary grades of the city schools. It made a very interesting program and must have meant much work for the teachers who trained them.

About one hundred from here attended the contest at Milton Junction Tuesday evening and Miss Norma Harrar was awarded third place.

Henry Willis reached home the first of the week after spending three years as an American soldier, part of the time in the Philippines and part at a post in California. At the time of his discharge he was quarter master sergeant.

Whittier Bros. have secured Walt E. Burt of Grand Rapids as manager of the lumber part of their business and he is expected the middle of the week to take charge. Mr. Burt has for many years been a traveling salesman of lumber.

The funeral of Jas. Moulthrop was held Tuesday afternoon from the home. Mr. Moulthrop was one of the pioneers of his place being 78 when he died. He leaves a wife and one daughter.

Gov. LaFollette gave his lecture on "Hamlet" under the auspices of the women's clubs Thursday evening. Considering the weather and the short notice a fair sized audience was in attendance. The proceeds of the lecture were donated for use at the public library.

ROCK RIVER

Rock River, March 13.—Floyd Vincent has been under the care of Dr. Hull the past week but is now improving.

The Ladies Aid Society will be held with Mrs. Balch next Thursday Mch. 17th at 10 a. m. All are cordially invited to come.

Grace Pierce went to Dodgeville Friday for a few weeks stay.

Mrs. S. J. Corliss is staying at Mrs. Tillie Vincent's for a few weeks.

The social at Harry Green's last Tuesday evening was quiet well attended considering the bad roads, but every one present had a fine time.

The C. E. Society will give an oyster supper in the near future.

BURR OAK

Burr Oak, March 15.—The host of friends and acquaintances of the Rev. Elder Richards, will be shocked to learn of his death which occurred Monday last at Highland Center of pneumonia. Elder Richards was well and favorably known here having filled the pulpit at Oterline church for a number of years, also having a charge at Indian Ford. How well he was liked while in this field of work was shown by the hearty welcome he always received whenever he visited these places. His burial took place at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning from his late home. He leaves a devoted wife to mourn his sudden taking away.

COUNTY LINE

County Line, March 14.—Mrs. Wm. Scardie and son spent a portion of last week at Downey's.

Jas. McCarthy of Madison visited his parents here on Sunday.

Hannah Boyle expects to return to Janesville in about a week.

Anna Downey closed her school Friday for a three weeks vacation.

Misses Mayne and Kate Reilly and Della Boyle are spending a few weeks at Edgerton.

Mary Murray of Oaks N. D. is the guest of her sister Nellie Murray.

JANESVILLE

Janesville, March 14.—Jerry Donahue will have an auction sale on his farm Friday March 18, at one o'clock.

W. B. Davis sawed wood for A. M. Church Saturday.

John Turnbull and family expect to get settled in their new home this week.

Walter Wright Jr. and family will move onto his farm recently vacated by J. P. Turnbull.

Mrs. A. M. Huey was in the city Saturday.

Cass Garlt attended the Kemmerer horse sale in the city Saturday afternoon.

School will close in Dist. No. 5 Friday.

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day March 25, for a short vacation. John Bennett will have an auction March 28th.

A heavy fall of snow came Sunday night and Monday which will make it look like winter again.

Our town boasts of a new poet, young in years but great things things are expected later.

One of our young men has an \$800 team, which he has offered for sale.

EMERALD GROVE

Emerald Grove, March 14.—Miss Janette McArthur and Miss Arletta Godfrey closed their schools last Friday for one week vacation.

Ole and Jake Larson of Philadelphia are calling on friends here.

Please remember that the stylistic meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ransom on Thursday evening of this week.

Mrs. Levee Larson is entertaining her friend Minnie Cole.

The entertainment given by Mr. Horne Huron on Saturday evening was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Miss Ethel Willbur of Harmony was a guest of Miss Lella Jones Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Greenfield of Iowa is visiting at W. A. Dean's.

Rev. D. E. Davidson preached a very interesting sermon Sunday evening.

BRODHEAD

Brodhead, March 14.—Mrs. Seraph Pierce and Miss Margaret Taylor went to Harvard Ill. on last Wednesday morning to assist in a program to be given by the Woman's club of that place.

Mrs. Anna Mitchell spent several days with Rockford relations returning home on Tuesday.

Miss Marie Broderick who has been ill for so long was able to be up and dressed and eat dinner with the family last Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Mitchell and Mrs. Jesse Gravenor of Albany and Mrs. Hannah Reed of Janesville attended the funeral of Pierre Broughton Tuesday.

Messrs. M. Broderick and Lou Hahn returned Wednesday evening from Laysanville where they spent Sunday and Monday.

Mr. J. A. Young is able to be up and around the house.

Mrs. A. C. Rowe spent last Wednesday in Janesville.

Miss Mabel Dodge is having in attack of grippe and measles.

Mr. O. J. Harr made a business trip to Janesville and Beloit last Tuesday.

Miss Roxa Dedrick has been entertaining the measles.

Mrs. Emory Wood of Durand, spent last week in the city with her sister Mrs. W. L. Gehr.

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